

INDUSTRIAL CONFUSION NATION-WIDE

Telegrams Pour Into Washing- ton Asking Interpretations and Rulings

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The nation's manufacturing industry in the twenty eight states east of the Mississippi river was virtually suspended today in obedience to the government's order forbidding the use of fuel.

Most of the plants engaged on war contracts were exempted from the order's operation in telegrams sent out last night but few of them learned of it in time and a great majority of them closed down with the other factories. The country at large knew nothing of exemptions except the few announced last night and it was not until late this afternoon that the fuel administrator admitted officially that important war work was not affected by the order and gave out a list of hundreds of factories that may continue work on government contracts only during the five days closing period. Confusion attending enforcement of the order was general. Such a flood of telegrams poured into the offices of the fuel administration asking interpretations and rulings and requesting information concerning exemption industries that finally the exemption list was given to the press for publication. The day brought a statement of unequivocal support for the order from President Wilson and a vigorous defense by Administrator Garfield of the step and of the government's purpose in taking it.

Replies to Senate
Opposition to the order in congress apparently spent itself in debate in both houses. During the day Dr. Garfield replied to the senate's request of yesterday that the order be suspended for five days, disclaiming any purpose to be discourteous, declining to comply and again pointing out the necessity for enforcement of his order.

Food Administrator Hoover in a statement interpreted the order to mean that no check would be put on the operations of any sort of food handling, manufacturing or distributing. The plants exempted from a list prepared by Secretaries Baker and Daniels are those manufacturing gas masks, rifles, pistols, machine guns and small arms ammunition; forgings for the government, electrical supplies and tool steel for war purposes, destroyers and destroyer parts, seamless tubes and condenser tubes, aircraft and aircraft parts, signal corps equipment, locomotives, equipment for ships, woolen goods for the army and navy, white duck and tenting for the government and optical supplies.

All ship yards also not included in the exempted list will continue under a special ruling as will hundreds of plants turning out materials which enter directly into the manufacture of army and navy supplies.

Most of the big steel plants and a large number of the country's automobile factories are included in the list.

Among the collateral industries which will be classed as not coming within provisions of the order will be virtually all mines producing ores. In his statement supporting r. Garfield's issuance of the closing order, President Wilson said he was consulted and fully agreed with the fuel administrator as to its necessity. If the action had not been taken, he declares, immediate relief could not have been found for the fuel and the transportation shortage.

"This war," he said, "calls for many sacrifices and sacrifices of the sort called for by this order are infinitely less than sacrifices of life which other wise might be involved."

President Wilson's Statement
The President's statement follows:

"I was of course consulted by Mr. Garfield before the fuel order of yesterday was issued and fully agreed with him that it was necessary much as I regretted the necessity. This war calls for many sacrifices and sacrifices of the sort called for by this order are infinitely less than sacrifices of life which might otherwise be involved."

"It is absolutely necessary to get the ships away. It is absolutely necessary to relieve the congestion at the ports and upon the railways, it is absolutely necessary to move great quantities of food, and it is absolutely necessary that our people should be warmed in their homes if no where else and half way measures would not have accomplished the desired ends."

"If action such as this had not

been taken we should have limped along from day to day with a slowly improving condition of affairs with regard to the shipment of food and coal, but without such immediate relief as had become absolutely necessary because of the congestions of traffic which have been piling up for the last few months.

"I have every confidence that the result of action of this sort will justify it and that the people of the country will loyally and patriotically respond to necessities of this kind as they have to every other sacrifice involved in the war. We are upon a war footing and I am confident that the people of the United States are willing to observe the same discipline that might be involved in the actual conflict itself."

Fuel Administrator's Statement.
Dr. Garfield's statement emphasizes the railroad congestion which he declares is threatening the food supply, points to the necessity for moving ships to Europe and carries an appeal to capital to bear its share of the burden brought by the closing order by paying employees for the time they are idle.

The statement follows: "The order suspending temporarily the operation of industrial plants in a portion of the United States is drastic. Yes, war is drastic. This war is the most extensive and involves more sacrifices than any war heretofore. The American people, led by the president entered this war deliberately. They are staking everything for the realization of a great ideal and the ideal is practical. We know that democracy must be made a reality at home as well as abroad, that its benefits must be shared by all and its sacrifices borne by no single class.

"Capital and labor are embarked in this war because all Americans are in it and the American spirit cries out against the least suggestion that the burden be shifted to the backs of any one class, least of all labor, for labor has less financial ability to meet the prolonged hardships of war than capital. We are realizing the truth now as never before that capital and labor are well made a reality at home as well as abroad. Their problems present merely two aspects of the same vital question. The selfish and patriotic impulses and the calm look ahead will lead the country to approve of the order now in force.

"Industry is in an unbalanced condition. We lack many essentials—food, clothing, fuel. We have piled up enormous stores of things not essential to life. But very essential to life. We have piled up so high on our docks and in our storehouses that the ships available cannot carry them away as fast as they pile. For lack of bunker coal held back by traffic congestion the number of ships in our harbors increase menacingly.

"The food supply is threatened to an even greater degree than the fuel supply. This condition is in large part due to the congestion that at many points holds the loaded cars in its grip.

"To single out industries not engaged to some extent in war manufacture is to select industries which in the aggregate will bring relief only if suspended indefinitely. To require all industries except a comparatively small part to cease for a few days quickly accomplished the desired result and permanently injures none. The order as it stands puts all industry on an equal footing, favoring none and avoiding unfair competition, but this reason alone is not sufficient. This reason plus the fact that the order will put coal in the empty bins of the people, will save coal, will aid in breaking up congestion of traffic and in furthering an adequate supply of coal to the people who need it and to the ships which cannot sail without it—these are sufficient reasons and justify the order.

"Only those industries producing necessary war material that can be promptly delivered are permitted to operate during the suspension period. "To permit industries with a coal supply on hand to operate would allow many of the least essential to continue while some of the most essential would be compelled to stop. "Moreover to allow those fortunate enough to possess a coal pile to continue would result in adding to the traffic congestion, and unless they also are suspended at a later period the needed saving in consumption of coal would not result. "To have delayed the application of the order would only have added

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RAILROAD WAGE QUESTIONS WILL BE INVESTIGATED

Four Men are Named By Director-General McAdoo To Make Probe
—New System Put Into Effect

3 OPERATING REGIONS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Four men named tonight by director-general McAdoo to investigate railroad wage questions are:

Franklin L. Lane, secretary of the interior.

J. H. Covington, chief justice of the District of Columbia supreme court.

C. C. McChord, interstate commerce commissioner.

William R. Wilcox, chairman of the Republican National committee.

At the same time Director-General McAdoo put into effect a new system of government railway administration by dividing the country into three operating regions, east, south and west, and placed a railroad executive at the head of each as his representative.

The board will hear all labor complaints or petitions making careful investigations and recommend a course of action to Mr. McAdoo on general conditions affecting railway employees regardless of whether any specific request or complaint has been made to the director-general or to railroad managements before the government assumed control. In charge of eastern railroads, Mr. McAdoo retained A. H. Smith, president of the New York Central who has acted as assistant to the director-general with headquarters in New York. R. H. Ashton, president of the Chicago & Northwestern was appointed regional director for territory west of the Mississippi river with headquarters at Chicago. South-eastern roads were assigned to C. H. Markham, president of the Illinois Central with headquarters at Atlanta. The eastern division consists of territory north of the Ohio and Potomac rivers, "and east of Lake Michigan and the Indiana-Illinois state line, also those railroads in Illinois extending into that state from points east of the Indiana-Illinois state line; also the Chesapeake & Ohio, the Norfolk & Western and the Virginian railways."

The southern district is defined as including, "all railroads in that portion of the United States south of the Ohio and Potomac rivers and east of the Mississippi river except the Chesapeake & Ohio, Norfolk & Western and the Virginian railways, and also those railroads in Illinois and Indiana extending into those states from points south of the Ohio river."

The western district is composed of the balance of the country including all west of the Mississippi and also Illinois, Wisconsin and the northern Michigan peninsula. It excludes those roads running into Illinois from the east and from the south. Thus Illinois will be subject to the joint jurisdiction of all directors.

The directors will undertake to supervise general transportation problems of their districts and will be the field marshals of the central organization which the director-general is expected to form permanently in a day or two. This organization probably will consist of five or six divisions with a chief of each.

Explaining the purpose of the wage commission, Mr. McAdoo said: "The commission has been appointed to determine wages for the different classes of labor on railroads. It will begin work at once and will report to the director-general, giving its recommendations in terms as to changes that should be made. Upon this report the director-general will make a decision.

"The commission will investigate the whole field of the railroad labor—compensation of persons in the service of the railroads, relation of railroad wages to wages in other industries, conditions in different parts of the country, special emergency respecting wages owing to war conditions, high cost of living, and the relation with different classes of the service."

President Wilson sent the following letter to each member of the commission saying:

"This is one of the most important problems of the moment and is worthy of the unselfish and disinterested service you have so patriotically undertaken to render."

Nearly every class of organized and unorganized railroad labor has asked Director-General McAdoo for a wage increase and he has not announced his policy it is generally believed a number of increases will be allowed. Transportation of coal was pushed today by railroads but weather conditions thru the entire middle west and Pennsylvania still made movement sluggish.

2,000,000 IDLE IN PENNSYLVANIA

Philadelphia, Jan. 18.—Approximately 2,000,000 workers in Pennsylvania will be thrown out of employment during the five day shut down in industries affected by the federal fuel administrator's order, according to statistics compiled by the state department of labor and industry. One million and a half workers will be similarly affected on the Monday holidays and the approximate losses in wages was placed at \$114,000,000.

MANY HORSES AND MULES DIE

Washington, Jan. 18.—Shipping fever and its complications for which no satisfactory preventive has been found, has caused the loss of 4,777 horses and mules in the army remount service. An announcement today said the loss amounted to \$835,975.

MEN HAND THEIR CASE TO WILSON

Government Undertakes Settlement of Differences Between Pack- ers and Employees

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Settlement of differences between the meat packers and their union employees was undertaken tonight by President Wilson's special labor commission headed by Secretary Wilson after representatives of the men had submitted their case to the president in a two hour conference at the white house.

Spokesmen for the unions pictured a critical situation at all of the great packing centers and asked that the government interfere and if necessary take over operation of the plants. The president said mediation would be tried first.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor accompanied the labor delegation which was headed by John Fitzpatrick, president of the Chicago Federation. Secretary Baker, as chairman of the council of national defense and Secretary Wilson were called into the conference. The president was told that the packers had repudiated an agreement to settle questions of wages and working conditions and were discharging union men in groups apparently with the purpose of bringing on a strike. Of the thousands employed in the plants, the union men said, sixty per cent are foreigners without union affiliations and of whose loyalty standards no one can judge. If the government takes over the plants, Mr. Fitzpatrick said, the union men were ready to enlist as first members of America's industrial army, to guarantee full-handed equipment for every packing plant, work in continuous shifts if necessary and leave all questions of wages, hours and working conditions to the president or the person to whom he might delegate the duty. If the nation's extremity should be reached, he said, the men would work naked in the factory with barely enough sustenance to keep strength in their bodies.

The president's committee will arrange as soon as possible for meetings with representatives of the employers of the members and of the men. It members, who recently returned from an investigating and mediating tour of the west, are Secretary Wilson, J. L. Spangler, J. H. Walker and Felix Walker.

After the conference Mr. Gompers made this statement: "The attitude of the packers towards their employees is intolerable. The employees are in a state of unrest and the union heads feel scarcely able to control the situation. Unless justice is done in my opinion the men will quit work. They cannot stand the brutality handed out to them, the lack of appreciation for efforts, the low pay, and the long hours."

"We have requested the president to take action and to remove present conditions. We will work hand-in-hand with him to help relieve the situation as if it cannot be done by mediation, we ask that the government take over the packing plants."

"The packers are discharging groups of men and trying to provoke a strike. The situation is critical. "The president listened with attention and was sympathetic and said that he would undoubtedly consider what can be done. He said that he would place the matter into the hands of his mediation committee, which would endeavor to settle it by taking it up with all parties concerned. If this does not bring action the only alternative would be to consider government control."

Deny Statement
Mr. Levy Mayer, James G. Condon, Carl Mayer, counsel for the Chicago packers issued this statement when they heard of the white house conference:

"It is almost impossible to believe that the labor officials can so recklessly have stated to the president that our clients, the packers, have brazenly repudiated the agreement which was made by the packers with the president's mediation commission. The statement is untrue. The packers have faithfully endeavored to fully comply with the agreement in every particular and this the president and the mediation commission will promptly discover when they ascertain the facts."

JAPANESE AMBASSADOR STARTS HOME
A Pacific Port, Jan. 18.—Dr. A. Imura Sato, Japanese ambassador to the United States arrived today on his way from Washington to Tokyo. The object of his trip he asserted he did not know.

"All I can say is that my government called me home," he asserted.

ROCKFORD SOLDIER DIES

Rockford, Ill., Jan. 18.—Private Earl H. Pierce, of Armada, Mich., attached to the 161st depot brigade, died at Camp Grant today of pneumonia.

DAVID-LLOYD GEORGE EXPLAINS REASON FOR MAN-POWER BILL

Necessity for Raising More Men Told
Representatives of Trades
Unions Affected by
Measure

REFERS TO WILSON'S AIMS

LONDON, Jan. 18.—Addressing the final conference of the representatives of the trades unions affected by the man-power bill which passed the house of commons last night, David Lloyd-George, British prime minister, today gave the government's reasons for the necessity of raising more men for the army and also referred at length to his own and the recent speech of President Wilson regarding the war aims of the entente allies and the United States. After thanking the representatives for the spirit in which they had met the government, the premier said there was no other alternative for raising men except either by raising the military age or of sending wounded men back and back again to the firing line. As to the urgency of raising more men Mr. Lloyd-George said that he and his colleagues who are on the watch-tower could not deny it and that unless the need should be urgent they would not have brought forward the demand now.

"There are men who thought it should have been done before," said Mr. Lloyd George. "There are men who believed we ought to do it on a much more sweeping scale. There are a few who say we ought not to do it at all and there are some who say both things simultaneously."

"The government's view is this: It would be folly to withdraw men from the industries one hour sooner than the need arose. On the other hand it would be treason to the state, treason to our country, to democracy and to the cause of freedom if when the need did arise we had not made the demand."

"I assume that all of you here in your hearts believe that the war aims declared by that great labor congress represent the minimum of justice which you can possibly accept as a settlement of this terrible dispute. If we are not able to defeat the German forces, if we are not able to resist the military power of Prussia is there any man here in the possession of his wits who believes that one of your terms, the least of them—would be enforced?"

"I am not talking about the demands of the imperialists, I am not talking about the demands of the extreme war men who want to grab everything and annex the earth and all of the heavenly firmament. I am talking about the moderate demands of the most pacifist souls in this assembly."

"President Wilson and myself laid down what was substantially the same program of demands for the termination of this war."

"Now how has that program been received? Throughout the allied countries it has been received with acclaim. There has hardly been a voice raised in criticism except from a few men who wish that I had made more extreme demands."

"What has been their reception in Germany?"

"I beg you to consider this, especially those who think that we are responsible for perpetuating this horror. I would not have this war for second on my soul if I could stop it honorably. The only enemy comment has been:

"Behold how England is weakening! Go on and they will come down."

"Again there has been no response from any man in any position in Germany that indicates a desire on the part of the ruling powers in that land to approach the problem in a spirit of equity."

"We demanded the restoration of Belgium. Is there one man here who would make peace without the complete restoration of Belgium and reparation for its wrongs?"

"Cries of 'No!'"

"What is the answer from Germany?" Mr. Lloyd George continued.

"There has been but one answer and it came from von Tirpitz' soul—'never!'"

"There was a demand for the reconsideration of the wrongs of Alsace-Lorraine. What is the answer from Germany—'never!'"

"When I suggested that Mesopotamia and Palestine should never be restored to the tyranny of the Turk, what was the answer of Germany—'we will go on until they are restored!'"

"There have been conferences hurriedly called together. Generals von Hindenburg and von Ludendorff were brought back from their armies in a great hurry to Berlin but Herr von Kuehlmann has not been allowed to speak. Why? If it means anything, it means this: That the Prussian military power is dominant and the answer which is to be given to civilization is an answer which will be given from the cannon's mouth. Do not let us harbor any delusions."

"You might as well stop fighting, unless you are going to do it well. If your night it is real murder of the gallant fellows who have stood there for three years."

"You have either got to put your whole strength into it or just do what is done in the Russian army and tell those brave fellows that they can go home whenever they like and no one will stop them."

"Believe me, if there are men who say they will not go into the trenches then the men who are in the trenches

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BULLETINS

BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 18.—American detectives report discovery of an anarchist organization with suburban headquarters supporter by large deposits of money by two prominent German firms.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 18.—All breweries in Missouri will be closed two days a week, thus effecting a saving of 25 per cent in coal consumption. A plan to this effect, submitted by a committee of St. Louis brewers was accomplished by Fuel Administrator Crossley of Missouri late today.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The bill to create a war council of three civilian members was approved late today by the senate military committee and will be introduced in the senate Monday.

Proposals to include the secretaries of war and navy were defeated in the committee.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—King Ferdinand and of Roumania whose arrest had been ordered by the Bolshevik government is now under the protection of the allies, according to a Petrograd dispatch to the Daily Express.

It is probable that the king sought refuge in one of the allied embassies at Jassy, or that he has been taken under the protection of the French military mission attached to the Roumanian army. Jassy is 350 miles from the British lines in Macedonia and it may be that the king has been taken to Saloniki by airplane.

PARIS, Jan. 18.—After violent scenes in the chamber of deputies today confidence was voted in the government by a large majority. The debate was heated and resulted in a temporary suspension of the sitting. After the session Deputy Conti challenged two other deputies.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Closing of the New York Cotton Exchange next Monday "in co-operation with the spirit of the fuel administration's conservation order" was decided on today by the board of managers of the exchange.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Unified control of all government time requirements from the northwest has been accomplished by the establishment of a commission, now on the Pacific Coast, which will supervise all purchases and speed up delivery.

FREIGHT MOVEMENT

STARTS AT SPRINGFIELD
Springfield, Ill., Jan. 18.—Movement of freight in railroad yards here, clogged as the result of the severe snow storms of recent days, began with new momentum this morning as a result of the fuel administrator's order halting production in manufacturing.

Railroad freight transportation men said that, barring more bad weather, lines thru this city would be clear by next Wednesday when factories will be permitted to resume activity.

"The statement of Dr. Garfield in which makes clear that his order was chiefly to relieve freight congestion puts a new light on the question," said D. C. Frederick, superintendent of transportation of the Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis railroad today. "My only criticism is that it wasn't done several days ago."

It was stated that the local division of the Wabash, Chicago and Alton and the Illinois Central gave promise of speedy clearing of congestion.

POULTRY EXHIBIT OPENS

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 18.—The annual exhibit of the Illinois Poultry association opened here this morning with more than 1,500 birds on exhibition and it is expected the entries will number 2,000 birds before tomorrow. A. B. Smith of Chicago, secretary, predicts the best show the association ever has held. Judging of birds will begin tomorrow. A feature of the show is a government exhibit of back yard poultry raising at which lectures are given daily.

CAPTAIN ELECTED

Chicago, Jan. 18.—Roy McLaughlin has been elected captain of the Northwestern University football team. McLaughlin played a brilliant game as tackle was injured last night by a fall.

WILL DO SIX DAYS

WORK IN FIVE
New York, Jan. 18.—The doing of six days work in five during Monday less industrial weeks is recommended to members of the National Boot and Shoe Manufacturers association in a bulletin telegraphed to them today by John S. Kent, president.

WEATHER INDICATIONS

AND TEMPERATURES.
Illinois: Partly cloudy, slowly rising temperature Saturday, followed by snow at night or Sunday, colder Sunday night.

Temperatures.
The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Friday were:

Jacksonville	9	13	-3
Boston	30	32	-24
Buffalo	6	16	14
New York	2	8	36
New Orleans	44	48	32
Chicago	2	4	-5
Detroit	0	4	-2
Omaha	32	16	-2
Minneapolis	6	8	-8
Helena	34	40	20
San Francisco	58	64	50
Winnipeg	8	14	-2

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STREAMS OF COAL MOVING

Heavy Burden of Commerce Lifts from the Storm Harassed Railways

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—Ten thousand manufacturing plants closed, an industrial army of 400,000 workers idle, was Chicago's response to the sweeping order of the national fuel administration for the conservation of coal today. With stilling of the activities of the greatest industrial center in the middle west and the consequent lifting of the burden of commerce from the storm harassed railways, great streams of coal began moving thru the traffic jams.

Altho captains of industry fought until the last minute against Dr. Garfield's order at the stroke of midnight all opposition turned to loyal compliance and support of the government. Only a score of violations were reported during the day. Most of these were due to ignorance and resulted only in a warning.

The storm of protest which greeted the announcement from Washington died as the day wore on and the public adjusted itself good-naturedly to the hardship as part of its "bit" in the war. Street and elevated traffic was cut down materially and watchful guards kept the temperature in the cars at a minimum while outside below zero weather prevailed. Meanwhile organized efforts were being made to care for small wage earners whose families had been left in distress. Some plants announced that they would pay part of the salaries of their workers left in enforced idleness. Others prepared to immediately relieve any distress that their forces might not be disrupted by migration of the employees.

Schools, closed by last week's storm, prepared to re-open next week. Northwestern University announced a five-day holiday to conserve fuel. Many industrial plants granted exemption of work on war contracts continued operations as usual. Theaters in some cases announced the abandonment of performance on Monday and instead will open Sunday night. One chain of moving picture houses will continue in operation Monday without heat.

Meanwhile the railways concentrated their efforts on the clearing up of traffic jams and the movement of coal. Every road entering the city has given the right of way to fuel. Chicago is short 500,000 tons of coal, it was announced but with the speeding up of production at the mines and the priority given fuel by the roads, it is expected that this shortage will be wiped out soon.

All saloons remained open today altho Arctic temperatures in some cases made them less inviting than usual to patrons. The liquor dealers are considering a plan to close all bars on Mondays altho they may remain open if they do not consume any coal in heating.

Duluth Industry Suspends

Duluth, Minn., Jan. 18.—Duluth industry dependent on fuel suspended today for five days in compliance with the order of Fuel Administrator Garfield. The Universal Portland Cement company closed; the Union Match company closed. The Patrick-Duluth Woolen Mills and Garment Factories closed, but the mill that is making cloth for the government continued work. The Zenith Furnace company that furnishes gas for Duluth and Superior is running.

Coal Cars Awaiting Shipment
St. Louis, Jan. 18.—The fuel administrator was notified today by an official of the Illinois Central railroad that 390 cars of coal on the tracks between East St. Louis, Ill., and Belleville, Ill., would be moved at once. Some of the cars have been on the sidings since Jan. 4. In the twenty four hours ending this morning the Terminal Railway Association moved 553 cars of coal from East St. Louis to St. Louis.

More Coal Arriving
Chicago, Jan. 18.—The clearings of tracks and switch yards of snow was reflected in Chicago today by an increased arrival of coal. Precise figures were not available but it was said that the improvement was shown in the fact that it was found unnecessary to deliver the cars to the fuel administrator for apportionment. The cars were delivered to the individual consignees.

Southern Points Close
Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 18.—Hundreds of industrial plants in the south were closed today for five days under the fuel restriction order and thousands of operatives were idle. No reports of violations of the order had been received and surface indications were that manufacturers and workers viewed the situation philosophically.

The great industrial center at Birmingham, Ala., was only slightly affected as most of the steel plants there are engaged on government work and at the coal mines extra efforts were made to get out coal.

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Germany denies torpedoing a Brit-
ish hospital. Few criminals plead
guilty.

Three New York School teachers
have been suspended for disloyalty.
The Chicago News says that for dis-
cussing treason a swat in time
saves nine.

The Kansas City Star says: "With
all due respect to members of con-
gress, we wish they'd quit coming
home so much and give the railroads
a chance to haul a little coal." The
country would appreciate it if some
of them would stay at home.

Jacksonville should keep cool and
quiet during the duration of the
present unwelcome order of Garfield.
It may be for the best. At any rate
there is no danger of starvation. The
situation is so much worse in many
other places that we may be able
to find some consolation.

Our navy has been pronounced O.
K. and ready for any task. In these
days of investigations and fault-finding
it is pleasing to learn that one
department is ready.

STANDING OR LYING DOWN.

Anyone can stand what he likes;
it takes a philosopher to stand what
he doesn't like.—Dr. Walton. The
Chicago Post has the above quota-
tion at the head of its editorial page.
In the same column, speaking of the
order closing business houses and
factories it says: "We do not be-
lieve that it is the part of patriot-
ism for the business men of the
United States to take this blunder
at Washington, lying down." Do they
like the order? "Anyone can stand
what they like."

NOT MEAT EATERS.

Zionists, about whom there have
of recent years been so much con-
trovery, are not especially concerned
with the reports that there is a real
possibility of meat shortage for they
scarcely ever eat meat. At least they
do not consume as the average gen-
tle does. Of hog meat they eat none
at all, and they use none of the swine
products. They cling to the old no-
tion that it is unclean and not fit
for the consumption of human beings
and that it is responsible for many
of the ills that afflict the present
generation.

MORE SAVAGERY IN BELGIUM.

Providence Journal: Is Germany
preparing to get out of Belgium?
That is the question suggested by
the news reports of renewed looting.
Pictures, furniture and all metal
articles are being removed, together
with the machinery found in shops
and factories. Buildings are being
mutilated or destroyed, the object
apparently being to leave the inhabi-
tants practically nothing and thus
cripple them economically after the
war. All this is in keeping with the
destruction wrought in the evacu-
ated parts of France.

Of course no military advantage
is gained by this policy of wanton
destruction. Perhaps Germany hopes
that her exhibitions of savagery will
discourage the people who are fight-
ing against Prussian domination of
the world.

BRITAIN'S QUOTA.

Out of 7,500,000 men enlisted in
the army and navy service of the
British Empire, 4,530,000 are Eng-
lish. England has given 13.33 per
cent of her population to the war;
Scotland, with 620,000 enlisted men,
has given an even 14 per cent, and
Wales, with 280,000 slightly better

both her sister countries in a per-
centage of 13.8.

This is sufficient to answer to
those who have charged Great
Britain with slacking, or who have
made the silly assertion that she was
doing all her fighting with colonial
troops. As a matter of fact, the esti-
mated contribution of the colonies
and dominions is only 6 per cent of
their populations.

In spite of this splendid showing,
Great Britain is now calling for 500,-
000 more men. The addition of this
number would bring her quota up
to an average of 14.5 per cent from
the populations of England, Scot-
land and Wales. America would have
to put over 14,000,000 men in uni-
form to do as well.

PETROLEUM PRODUCTION.

According to the estimates of the
United States Geological Survey, the
petroleum produced in the United
States and marketed during 1917
amounted to 341,800,000 barrels.
The same estimate says the produc-
tion in petroleum stocks during the
year was 21,000,000 barrels, leaving
the actual production 320,000,-
000 barrels. In 1916 the same
authority gave the amount consum-
ed as 312,438,599 barrels, so that
the estimate for 1917 would indicate
an increased consumption of over
29,000,000 barrels.

The figures given by the Geologic-
al Survey also allow for 133,000,-
000 barrels of crude oil in reserve
stock at the close of the year. At
the end of 1916 the stocks were
estimated as 174,028,000 barrels,
which would apparently show that
the reduction in stocks during 1917
was 41,000,000 barrels instead of
the 21,000,000 as reported.

Rippling Rhymes
By WALT MASON

NEW YEAR MUSINGS

The New Year is a sight to see, to
people safe and sane, and I've no
doubt that it will be a year of stress
and strain. There'll be a thousand
urgent calls for coin in sacks and
kegs, to purchase useful cannonballs,
and shells and wooden legs. Our
boys will go from training camps,
from native shores they'll scout, to
paralyze those Teuton scamps, and
make them cease to Teut. And ever
as the battles wax, and armies
charge the foe, the burden on our
shapely backs the heavier will grow.
Before this brave young year runs
down we'll know, beyond all doubts,
who are the pikers in our town, and
who the dead game scouts. We can't
get by on bounce and brag, in cru-
cial times like these; a lot of bunk
about the flag won't help things o'er
the seas. Fine words and phrases
loud and big, won't put a foe to
flight; we'll have to dig, and dig, and
DIG, if we would show we're white.
The piker, cannot save his face, ex-
cuses won't go down; its either glory
or disgrace for every gent in town.
The year will show us if men's souls
are sordid or sublime, and slackers,
wedded to their rolls, will have a
beasty time.

Save money by buying
SLEEPING GARMENTS of
FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store to-
day.ENTERTAINMENT AT
BRUSH COLLEGE.

There will be an entertainment
and box supper held at Brush Col-
lege north, near Litterberry, Wednes-
day evening, Jan. 23. A program
of merit has been prepared under
the direction of the teacher, and it
is hoped that a large crowd will be
present next Wednesday evening.

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ORDERED TO REPORT.

Arch Ziegler, senior draftsman
for the Illinois Steel Bridge Co., has
received notification to report to the
U. S. submarine base at New Lon-
don, Conn., as draftsman. He has
been with the bridge company in
this city for the past ten years.

WOMAN'S CLUB.

The meeting of the Woman's club
which was postponed last Saturday
will be held Saturday January 19th
at Academy Hall. The regular pro-
gram will be carried out. A large
attendance is desired.

CAPPS MILL STATUS IS
STILL MUCH IN DOUBT

Management Will Close Until Defi-
nite Ruling Is Made—Quarter Mas-
ter's Department and Fuel Admin-
istration Disagree.

The status of the Capps mill with
relation to closing order made by
Fuel Administrator Garfield is still
in doubt. Friday after reading As-
sociated Press despatch in the Jour-
nal to the effect that mills engaged
in the manufacture of woolen cloth-
ing for government contracts were
exempt, Mr. Capps took the matter
up with M. F. Dunlap, local fuel ad-
ministrator, and wired the quarter-
master's department. The answers
were somewhat confusing, one indi-
cating that the mill should proceed
with the manufacture of cloth for
the army contract, but should not
operate other departments. The sec-
ond telegram suggested that the
matter was under the supervision of
the state fuel administration.

State Administrator's View

Mr. Dunlap sent telegrams of in-
quiry to J. E. Williams, state fuel
administrator, and received two re-
plies. The first one read:

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 18.

M. F. Dunlap,

Jacksonville, Ill.

Capps woolen mill must close.

Government work not exempt.

J. E. Williams.

The next telegram, filed an hour

later, stated that "Capps mill cannot

run unless war department gets per-

mit from Garfield."

This indicated quite clearly that

there are some differences between

the quartermaster's department and

the fuel administration. However,

there is no question but what the

whole matter is in the hands of the

national fuel administrator and as a

representative of the administration

Mr. Dunlap could do nothing other

than express the belief that the mill

must close until further orders were

received.

Exemption Rule Stated

A telegram sent to the Associated
Press by the Journal in an effort to
get some information on the ques-
tion brought this statement: "The
official exemption list issued today
reads as follows:

"The following also are exempt:
All manufacturers of woolen yarns
for the purpose of weaving into 16
and 30 ounce meltons; manufac-
turers of 16 and 30 ounce meltons;
the spongers and shrinkers of this
cloth; manufacturers of woolen
coats, breeches and overcoats for
army and navy uniforms."

"This seems to cover Capps but
we cannot tell of course on what
state administrator's ruling is based."

Further Advice Sought

This order seems to indicate that
the mill is exempt but there is a pos-
sibility of a different application of
exemption for the manufacturers of
woolen "clothing" and "woolen
cloths." Such a difference would
certainly be only technical. The
statement of this rule, therefore, left
the question still in doubt.

The management of the Capps mill
made arrangements with employees to
work today as usual but because of
the doubt which surrounded the or-
der and the desire to co-operate in
every way with the government's de-
sire, H. M. Capps, president of the
company, stated last night that there
seemed to be no other way but to
close the mill until some more defi-
nite ruling is available.

Mr. Dunlap as local fuel adminis-
trator stated there was no question
about the view of the state adminis-
trator as indicated in the telegram.
He said further that even if he as local
administrator had expressed the
view that it was proper for the Capps
mill to operate that would not relieve
the management from responsibility.

The Capps firm sent additional tele-
grams to the quartermaster's de-
partment and to representatives of
the woolen industry in Washington
and a definite ruling is expected to-
day.

Men's Night Shirts and Pa-
jamas at prices that will save
you money at FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.ROLFE HOME IN BLUFFS
DAMAGED BY FIRE

Timely Discovery Prevented Serious
Loss—Mrs. Summer's 78th Birth-
day Observed—News Notes.

Bluffs, Jan. 18.—The dwelling of
Henry Rolfe on Main street and the
former home of the late Frank Link-
ins caught fire from a defective flue
at noon Friday and damaged the
roof and attic considerably before
the flames were under control. The
blaze was first discovered in the at-
tic by Mrs. Rolfe who worked hero-
ically, when for a time it seemed
as if her efforts were futile. She
quickly made use of the water that
was in the tanks in the attic while
others worked on the roof which
was damp from recent snows, other-
wise the building could not have
been saved.

The neighbors and friends of Mrs.
Eureka Summers gathered at her
home Friday afternoon, it being her
78th birthday. The guests took
baskets of nicely prepared lunch
and marched in to spend the afternoon
and let her know that she was re-
membered by them at this time. The
surprise was complete but Mrs. Sum-
mers was equal to the occasion and
gave them a hearty welcome and all
spent a very pleasant afternoon and
in departing wished that "Grandma"
might have many more as pleasant
birthdays.

Mrs. William Hartnady and sister,
Miss Mabel Alford were business vis-
itors in Jacksonville Friday.

George Wolford and brother,
Charles and John Horsey of Camp
Logan, arrived on a furlough Friday
to visit relatives. The former
stopped off in Springfield for a visit
with relatives in that city after
which he will join his brother here
for a short stay.

Jacksonville vs. Jerseyville,
David Prince Gym tonight at
8 o'clock. Admission 25c.

LOCAL HIGH WINS
AND LOSES AT WAVERLY

First Team Loses 21 to 16 and Sec-
onds Win 19 to 17—Cully and
Harney Star for First Team and
Rexroat for Second Team.

Waverly, Jan. 18.—Jacksonville
high won and lost at Waverly Fri-
day night. The second team won
the curtain raiser from Waverly sec-
onds by a score of 19 to 17. The
first team lost to Waverly's first team
by a score of 21 to 16.

Rexroat was the bright particular
star for the second team scoring 15
of the 19 points. For Waverly Red-
fern and Rourke were the chief point
makers. The second team game re-
quired a five minute overtime period
before the winner was decided.

In the first team game Lucas was
the bright particular star for Jack-
sonville, scoring 13 points. Harney
scored the remaining four points.
McMahon, Hughes and Redfern were
the chief pointmakers for Waverly.
The boys received royal treatment
and they were able to annex
but one game were well pleased with
their entertainment. The score.

Jacksonville	FG.	FT.	Tl.
Lucas, f.....	3	6	12
Harney, f.....	2	0	4
Smith, c.....	0	0	0
Green, g.....	0	0	0
Pierke, g.....	0	0	0
Totals.....	5	6	16

Waverly	FG.	FT.	Tl.
McMahon, f.....	2	0	4
Hughes, f.....	2	3	9
Redfern, c.....	2	4	8
Allen, g.....	0	0	0
Woods, g.....	0	0	0
Totals.....	7	7	21

Second Game

Jacksonville	FG.	FT.	Tl.
Gustafson, f.....	2	0	4
Rexroat, f.....	3	9	15
Bento, c.....	0	0	0
McDougall, g.....	0	0	0
Ransdell, g.....	0	0	0
Totals.....	5	9	19

Waverly	FG.	FT.	Tl.
Redfern, f.....	2	1	5
Rourke, f.....	0	0	0
Burnett, c.....	0	0	0
Harrison, c.....	3	0	6
Kennedy, c.....	0	0	0
Burns, g.....	0	0	0
Lyons, g.....	1	0	2
Totals.....	8	1	17

Referee, Colbert, Waverly; timers,
Hoover, Millikin, LeGrand, Waverly;
scorers, Burnett, Waverly, Rexroat,
Jacksonville.

Jacksonville vs. Jerseyville,
David Prince Gym tonight at
8 o'clock. Admission 25c.ILLINOIS BURIED UNDER
AVALANCHE OF BASKETS

Blue and White Five are Trimmed
by Sparks Business College of
Shelbyville—The Business College
Team Composed of Veterans—Ill-
inois Men Show Effects of Game
With Charleston Previous Night.

Illinois College was buried under
an avalanche of baskets in the game
with Sparks Business College at
Shelbyville Friday night, the final
score being 41 to 28 in favor of
Sparks.

The business college five is com-
posed of veterans and probably is
more of an athletic club than one
representing the business college. In
Woodworth and Williams Sparks has
two men who when they are in form
are equal to the task of defeating
most teams without any assistance.

Both were in form Friday night
and they rained points on Illinois.
Woodworth scored eight field bas-
kets and seven foul baskets while
Williams hit the ring six times for
a total of 12 points.

Illinois probably was suffering
from the effects of the game with
Eastern Normal on Thursday night.
It was the first time the men have
been called upon to play two games
in succession and they were leg
weary and sore. Despite this fact
they gave a good account of them-
selves. Cox was the leading point
maker with 12 to his credit with
Tomlinson closely following with 10
points.

Illinois will play Blackburn at
Carlinville tonight. Coach Harmon
sent for Barnes and Dunscomb last
night. These players will report at
Carlinville today and play tonight.
Coach Harmon probably will send
two men home from Shelbyville. The
score:

Illinois	FG.	FT.	Tl.
Cox, f.....	3	6	12
Cully, f.....	0	0	0
Hill, f.....	0	0	0
Tomlinson, c.....	5	0	10
J. Daigh, g.....	3	0	6
P. Daigh, g.....	0	0	0
Totals.....	11	6	28

Sparks	FG.	FT.	Tl.
Woodworth, f.....	8	7	23
Williams, f.....	6	0	12
McCoy, c.....	2	0	4
Harder, c.....	0	0	0
Runkle, g.....	0	0	0
Klauser, g.....	1	0	2
Totals.....	17	7	41

Referee, Carey, Eastern Illinois
Normal.

PLEASANTLY SURPRISED.

When L. Goheen went home to
dinner Friday, who should he meet
but his sister, Miss Anna Goheen
from Forest City, Mo., who he had
not seen for several years. The oc-
casion was the anniversary of his
seventy fifth birthday.

MEETING POSTPONED

The Woman's Home Missionary so-
ciety of Centenary church which
was scheduled to meet with Mrs. A.
C. Metcalf Friday was postponed on
account of the illness of the hostess.
The society will hold no meeting this
month.

Florida oranges. Douglas.

Newton Wilcox of Sinclair was
among the Friday visitors in the
city.

Shrapnel

The local exemption board Friday
received a communication from Ad-
jutant General Dickson instructing
them not to issue any permit to
registrants to go abroad in armies
of other countries.

Three men were sent to training
camps yesterday by the local board.
The men were as follows: Leonard
I. Wood, Truman Gibson and Harold
Hayhurst. All were sent to Kelly
Field, San Antonio, Tex., for en-
trance in the aviation section of
the U. S. signal corps.

Word was received yesterday from
Provost Marshal General Crowder
by the local board as follows:

"In order that local boards may
review all classifications by local
boards in cases of marriage since
May 18, 1917, and secure uniform
action, all government appeal agen-
cies shall be instructed to appeal all cases
where local boards have granted pre-
ferred classification in either class
two or class four on account of such
marriages."

Dr. E. L. Crouch, chairman of
the district medical board, yesterday
examined Lloyd Gier, who was sent
here by the medical advisory board
of Jersey county. Young Gier regis-
tered in Davidson county, South Da-
kota, but coming to the 16th dis-
trict in Illinois, secured permission
to be examined here rather than
make the trip back to South Dakota.
He passed the physical examination
satisfactorily and the Jersey county
board was so informed.

One of the young men who left
this city yesterday afternoon for en-
trance in the U. S. army fully real-
izes what he is doing and what dan-
gers are awaiting him on the other
side of the Atlantic. This young
man is Harold Hayhurst. He has
been employed recently by H. E.
Rawlings near Woodson. He is an
Englishman and is what is known as
a "declarant," that is, he has signi-
fied his intention of becoming a
citizen of the United States but is
not yet fully naturalized. Harold
was born at Hull, Yorkshire, Eng.,
twenty three years ago. He has two
brothers who have served in the
English army, one a younger brother
nineteen years of age who has
been recently discharged from ser-
vice in the English army on ac-
count of receiving four gunshot
wounds in the chest. His older
brother is still in the service of Eng-
land but only recently was discharg-
ed from one of the great hospitals
in France, having received a gun-
shot wound in the face and suffered
injuries from a bomb explosion. So
it will be seen that the young man
who left Jacksonville yesterday fully
realizes the seriousness of enlist-
ment in the army.

Relative to a protest made recent-
ly by Chairman Weir of the local
exemption board regarding state-
ments made by Col. Greene at Camp
Logan, Texas, Mr. Weir yesterday
received the following communica-
tions:

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 16, 1918.

Hon. Miller Weir,

Chr. Ex. Board Morgan County,

250 Ayers Bank Building,

Jacksonville, Ill.

Dear Sir:

I transmit herewith copy of the

letter from the provost marshal gen-
eral with reference to your com-
plaint against Col. Charles H.

Greene, Camp Logan, Texas, which
is self explanatory.

Yours very truly,

Frank S. Dickson,

Adjutant General.

Dec. 29, 1917.

Office of the Provost Marshal General

To the Adjutant General of Illinois:

Complaint of local board for Mor-
gan county against statement of Col.

Charles H. Greene, Camp Logan,
Texas, relating to the induction into

service by Illinois boards of men
physically disqualified for service.

1. On Nov. 16 local board for
Morgan county, Illinois, complained

in a telegram to this office of state-
ments which appeared in the public

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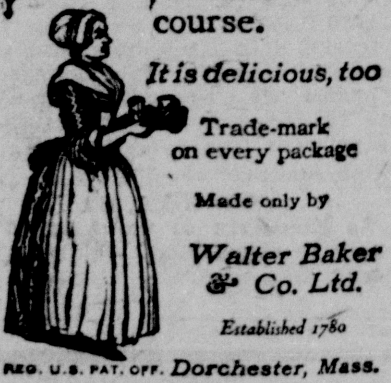
MY SIGNATURE
ON EVERY PACKAGE

SKINNER'S
MACARONI

BAKER'S COCOA

has great food value

THE food value of cocoa has been proven by centuries of use, and dietitians and physicians the world over are enthusiastic in their endorsements of it. It is said to contain more nourishment than beef, in a more readily assimilated form. The choice, however, should be a high-grade cocoa,—"Baker's" of course.



BAD COLD? HEADACHY AND NOSE STUFFED

"Pape's Cold Compound" Ends Colds and Grippe in a Few Hours

Take "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until you have taken three doses, then all gripe misery goes and your cold will be broken. It promptly opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nasty discharge or nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and snuffling. Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only a few cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute.—Adv.

TAKE "CASCARETS" IF HEADACHY, BILIOUS AND CONSTIPATED

Best for Liver and Bowels, Bad Breath, Bad Colds, Sour Stomach

Get a 10 cent box. Sick headache, biliousness, coated tongue, head and nose clogged up with a cold—always trace this to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach. Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out by the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10 cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months.—Adv.

BETTER THAN CALOMEL

Thousands Have Discovered Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a Harmless Substitute.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the substitute for calomel—are a mild but sure laxative, and their effect on the liver is almost instantaneous. They are the result of Dr. Edwards' determination not to treat liver and bowel complaints with calomel. His efforts to banish it brought out these little olive-colored tablets.

These pleasant little tablets do the good that calomel does, but have no bad after effects. They don't injure the teeth like strong liquids or calomel. They take hold of the trouble and quickly correct it. Why cure the liver at the expense of the teeth? Calomel sometimes plays havoc with the gums. So do strong liquids. It is best not to take calomel, but to let Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets take its place.

Most headaches, "dullness" and that lazy feeling come from constipation and a disordered liver. Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets when you feel "foggy" and "heavy." Note how they "clear" clouded brain and how they "perk up" the spirits. 10c and 25c a box. All druggists.

GOVERNOR CALLS BOYS FOR THE FARM

An Official Proclamation Fixing January 21 to 26 as Enrollment Week for Boys' Working Reserve.

The week of January 21 to 26 is to be enrollment week for boys who are willing to help win the war by working on the farms next summer. The dates were fixed by Governor Frank O. Lowden in an official proclamation, as follows:

By the Governor of Illinois—

A Proclamation.

Illinois is the greatest food producing state in the Nation. Her farmers fully realize the duty resting upon them during the continuance of the war, to strain every energy in order to produce the maximum of food. What they most need to accomplish this is additional labor. There are in our schools, and in occupations not essential to the conduct of the war, many thousands of active, vigorous and patriotic boys, between the ages of sixteen and twenty years. They are not subject to the selective draft. Most of them desire to do their bit, if only the way be pointed out to them. The problem is to fit them in some way for the farm, and to bring them into practical relations with the farmers who need their help. The Educational Committee of our State Council of Defense, co-operating with our Department of Agriculture and State College of Agriculture of the University of Illinois, has arranged a special three months' farm course, together with some practical training, by which these boys may be fitted, by the end of April, to undertake work upon our farms. These boys are to be enrolled in the United States Boys' Working Reserve, with the consent of their parents, but in no event are they to be employed in military service. The boy will receive full credit in his school work, and his moral and physical welfare will be conserved by volunteer visitors. Instead of detracting from their education, this service, in my opinion, will greatly aid it.

Agriculture, as an occupation, is becoming more and more attractive. The drudgery and isolation which drove those of a generation ago from the farms to the cities are rapidly giving way. Science has laid its hand upon the soil, and the farmer of today finds full scope for the exercise of his mind. Many, very many, of the boys who shall go from the school-room this spring to the farm will find the farmer's life so attractive that it will determine their permanent occupation.

I earnestly urge upon the able-bodied youth of our state, of from sixteen to twenty years of age, to enroll themselves in the U. S. Boys' Working Reserve, and for this purpose I hereby designate the week of January 21-26 inclusive, as Special Registration Week.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of State at the capitol in Springfield, this fourteenth day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and of the Independence of the United States, the one hundred and forty-second.

FRANK O. LOWDEN, Governor.

By the Governor:

LOUIS L. EMMERSON, Secretary of State.

Illinois is called upon to provide at least 25,000 boys for farm work. Places will be found for them by the State Council of Defense acting with the United States Boys' Working Reserve. They will be paid for their work.

A special short course in agriculture has been prepared at the University of Illinois for town and city boys who will enlist. That course will be started in all high schools on February 1st. All boys should be enrolled in time to get the full benefit of that course.

INVESTIGATE THE REMARKABLE BARGAINS AT HERMAN'S JANUARY CLOSING OUT SALE.

CHURCHES WILL OBSERVE FATHER AND SON WEEK

Decision Reached at Meeting Held at Y. M. C. A. Friday—Special Meetings Will Be Held Throughout Week—Churches Will Have Banquets—Committee Appointed.

At a meeting held by representatives of the various churches and other organizations interested, at the Y. M. C. A. Friday evening, preliminary arrangements were made for the observance of Father and Son week.

There was a good representation and it was unanimously voted to observe the week in a fitting manner. Special meetings will be held throughout the week at which sociological problems relating to father and son will be discussed by able speakers. All of the ministers present agreed to have special services Sunday morning of that week. It also was decided to hold a union service on the Sunday night following Lincoln's birthday for which a special speaker will be secured.

Three of the churches, Congregational, Northminster and First Baptist, have already decided to hold banquets during Father and Son week. A. A. Todd, Rev. R. B. Wilson, Rev. Walter E. Spooner, Ed Spink and J. S. Findley were appointed to confer with the other churches regarding the holding of banquets. The committee met following the conference and organized by electing Rev. A. A. Todd chairman, and J. S. Findley secretary. This committee will interview the other churches and report at a meeting to be held next Monday. At this time a program will be outlined for the week. This will include among other things union meeting for fathers and sons.

MONUMENT NOTICE.

The regular meeting of Morgan County Monument Association is hereby postponed until Saturday, Jan. 26, on account of the funeral of Comrade August Shelnburn.

C. E. McDougall, Chairman.

CITY AND COUNTY

John Koyne was up to the city from Murrayville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wiggins of Alexander were added to the list of city callers yesterday.

J. M. Thompson of the east part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Charles Magill of Arnold vicinity was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

Henry Ruble was a city arrival from Alexander yesterday.

John C. Thompson of Murrayville traveled to the city on business yesterday.

W. C. Calhoun was up to the city from Franklin yesterday.

William Shanahan of the westwardly direction rode to the city yesterday.

Henry Ruble was a representative of Alexander in the city yesterday.

Alvin Myers of Sinclair was added to the list of city visitors yesterday.

Dr. J. J. Frank of Chandlerville was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

A. T. Valentine of Virden was recorded among the city callers yesterday.

Thomas Murphy of the south part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

A. J. Fanning was a city arrival from Murrayville precinct yesterday.

L. T. Means of Sinclair was one of the city's visitors yesterday.

Earl Laughton of Peoria was among the visitors who called in the city yesterday.

Ernest Killen made a business trip from Springfield to the city yesterday.

Leon Burgess of Alexander was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Newton Hubbs of the north part of Sinclair precinct was among the city arrivals yesterday.

Mrs. Ivan Easten has returned to her home in Aurora after a visit with the family of her uncle, J. H. Devore and wife of Woodson precinct. The lady was formerly Essie Devore, daughter of Mrs. Essie Scott Devore who lived on West College street.

Mrs. J. H. Devore of Woodson precinct was a city shopper yesterday.

A. G. Hagel of Alexander was visiting his uncle, Emil Hagel on South East street yesterday.

Mrs. Clyde Phillips of Beardstown was one of the city shoppers yesterday.

William Ledford of the east part of the county was among the callers in the city yesterday.

Roy Baldwin of the north part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

John Daly of Chapin was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

William Combs of Woodson was added to the list of business arrivals in the city yesterday.

George Covey of Nortonville was a caller on city people yesterday.

Elroy Lukeman of Franklin was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

J. Garner was up to the city from Girard yesterday.

J. M. Heaton of Peoria made a business trip to the city yesterday.

S. E. Angus of Bloomington was a city visitor yesterday.

C. W. Kirkman traveled from Normal to the city on business yesterday.

William Hamm of Decatur was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

S. E. Coddington helped represent Tallula in the city yesterday.

C. P. Henderson of Litterberry was a visitor with city friends yesterday.

Henry Petefish of Litterberry made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Marvin Thompson of the vicinity of Alexander was a traveler to the city yesterday.

WINCHESTER WHIPS ROUTT COLLEGE FIVE

Scott County Boys Spring Surprise on Followers of Routt by Defeating Them 28 to 26—Routt Men Were Unable to Locate Basket—Lashmet Starred for Winchester.

Routt College five and its followers were treated to a rude surprise Friday evening when Winchester high school was on the long end of the score when the final whistle blew ending the game between the schools. The final score was 28 to 26.

The Routt five was sadly out of form. All of the men were badly off in basket shooting and did not seem to have recovered from the game with the Y. M. C. A. Wednesday evening.

In the first half Lashmet ran wild and scored 7 baskets. In the second half Routt kept him pretty well covered but was unable to add many points to her score. Walsh who is usually good for several baskets was able to make but two in the game last night.

In the second half Coach Conlin gave his team a shaking up sending in Bonansinga and Rook and moving Cooney from guard to forward. The change did some good but not enough to win the game.

There was not much to tell of the game. It was a case of too much Lashmet thrust. This player proved one of the best seen on Liberty hall floor. He scored 22 of the 28 points made by his team and without him the Winchester team would not amount to much. The score:

Winchester	F. G.	F. T.	Totals
Overton, f.	0	0	0
Guy Overton, f.	3	0	6
Lashmet, c.	11	0	22
Brown, g.	0	0	0
Tankersly, g.	0	0	0
Totals	14	0	28

Routt College	F. G.	F. T.	Totals
Walsh, f.	2	2	6
Zell, f.	3	0	6
Woulfe, c.	1	0	2
Rook, c.	3	0	6
Cooney, g. f.	2	0	4
Kennedy, g.	1	0	2
Bonansinga, g.	0	0	0
Totals	9	2	26

Referee—Fletcher. Timer—Redshaw, Winchester. Scorers—Sprague, Winchester; Conlin, Routt.

Florida oranges. Douglas.

LITERBERRY M. E. SOCIETY MET THURSDAY

Members Pleasantly Entertained at Home of Mrs. O. M. Petefish—Small Child Breaks Arm at Elbow—Other Literberry News Notes.

Literberry Jan. 18.—Miss Freida Daniels, four years old, had the misfortune to fall, Tuesday afternoon, breaking her right arm at the elbow. Dr. Obermeyer came up and attended the little miss and she is doing fine. Freida is a bright little girl and has the sympathy of the whole village.

The Literberry M. E. society met on Thursday afternoon at "Golden Green" with Mrs. O. M. Petefish. Twenty members were present. Arcadia was well represented, there being a half a dozen persons from that neighborhood. Mrs. J. M. Litter collected the devotional part of business. Some unfinished garments of Red Cross work were given out for the members to finish. The secretary read some interesting cards and letters.

Song, Illinois.

Reading, Under the stars and Stripes—Mrs. Earl Rexroat.

Reading, Woman's Work—Mrs. Underbrink.

A good offering was taken and the meeting dismissed. An hour was spent in social conversation and knitting.

At the proper time the hostess and her assistant, Mrs. Charles McDonald, served a fine luncheon. Those who have ever partaken of refreshments of Mrs. Petefish's cooking and serving, will understand that there was a great plenty and all of it was of excellent quality. Everybody had a fine time and are going again, the first chance to "Golden Green."

News Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Petefish were called to Concord Tuesday to attend the funeral of Edgar Cooper of Jacksonville. Mrs. Petefish has the sympathy of Literberry friends in the loss of her dear brother.

Colonel M. M. Crum of "The Ives" who has been lame for some time with a wounded foot, is getting better and can walk about some.

We are under obligations to Mr. and Mrs. George Decker for a big mess of fine, fresh sausage that came to our office Wednesday morning.

Home made mince meat, the very best. Douglas.

APPLE EXHIBITION PLANNED FOR CHICAGO

Growers of State Making Effort to Introduce Their Product to Chicago—Has Not Been Exploited in Systematic Manner Used by Western Growers.

Chicago, Jan. 18.—Illinois apple growers who have been producing a large proportion of the finest fruit grown in the country for several years, but who have received little recognition, are making an effort to introduce their product to Chicago. Government estimates credit the state with having produced 7,000,000 barrels of apples last year.

A committee of apple growers headed by State Senator Dunlap of Champaign is in Chicago to make arrangements if possible for an Illinois apple exhibition to be held next fall. It will be a state affair, under the direction of the Horticultural Society of Illinois.

"Illinois is the second apple state in the union, but we seldom hear Illinois apples mentioned," said Senator Dunlap. He pointed out that most of the apples were grown in the southern part of the state and

Chicago, being nearer to Michigan, that state is naturally looked to, as the great apple state. Michigan does not produce a good fruit as Illinois does, according to Senator Dunlap.

VERDICT FOR DEFENDANT

In Justice Overman's court Friday a jury heard the case of J. Thompson Sharpe against J. A. Shadid for a claim of \$84. Mr. Sharpe claimed that a nephew of Mr. Shadid's took treatment at Oak Lawn Sanatorium and the bill amounted to the above and alleged that Mr. Shadid had promised to stand good for it. This was denied by Mr. Shadid. So, as Mark Twain said, "A difference of opinion is what makes horse races." Likewise it also makes law suits and divers other things. The jury after hearing the testimony returned a verdict in favor of Mr. Shadid. J. Marshall Miller appeared for Mr. Shadid while H. P. Samuel was attorney for Mr. Sharpe.

A SLIGHT ALTERATION.

An esteemed friend supplies the Journal the following: "Early to bed and early to rise Makes a man healthy, wealthy and wise."

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It is unnecessary for you to suffer with eczema, blotches, ringworm, rashes and similar skin troubles. A little Zemo, applied at any drug store for 35c, or \$1.00 for extra large bottle, and promptly applied will usually give instant relief from itching torture. It cleanses and soothes the skin and heals quickly and effectively most skin diseases.

Zemo is a wonderful, penetrating, disappearing liquid and is soothing to the most delicate skin. It is not greasy, is easily applied and costs little. Get it today and save all further distress. The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

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CASCARA QUININE

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When the Children Cough, Rub Musterole on Throats and Chests

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As first aid and a certain remedy, Musterole is excellent. Thousands of mothers know it. You should keep a jar in the house, ready for instant use.

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30c and 60c jars; hospital size \$2.50.



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Examine the Oakland and you will find it a great value at **\$1065**

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The January Icy Winds Chap Your Hands and Face Unless You Use Harmony Cocoa Butter Cold Cream To Prevent It. Price 50c

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All these are worth new double the price asked.

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Foley's Honey and Tar
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Foley's Honey and Tar is noted for its
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Mrs. A. Sanders, Cottenwood, Tenn.,
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to cure our two girls when they have colds."

**City Drug Store,
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Thousands of people normally healthy
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easily and quickly.

Get from any druggist "2½ ounces of
Pinex" (60 cents worth), pour it into a
pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain
granulated sugar syrup. Begin taking
it at once. Gradually but surely you
will notice the phlegm thin out and then
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and relief comes almost immediately.
A day's use will usually break up an ordi-
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bronchitis, croup, whooping cough and
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better. It tastes pleasant and keeps
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fered from women's ail-
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troubles.

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WELL KNOWN RESIDENT OF VIRGINIA DIES

Mrs. J. F. Snyder Passed Away
Thursday—Other News of Interest
from Virginia and Vicinity.

Virginia, Jan. 18.—Mrs. J. F. Snyder, wife of Dr. Samuel Snyder, passed away at the family home on Myrtle avenue Thursday morning at 4:30 o'clock. Death was due to the infirmities of old age. Had Mrs. Snyder lived until Jan. 21st she would have reached her 81st birthday. On Sept. 27, 1917 Dr. and Mrs. Snyder quietly celebrated the 63rd anniversary of their marriage which occurred in Bolivar, Mo., Sept. 27, 1854. During all these years a death or wedding has never occurred in their home. Deceased is survived by her husband, three daughters, Misses Adelle, Nelle and Isabel and one son Fred, all of this city, besides other relatives and a host of friends. Funeral services will be held Friday, Jan. 18 at 3 o'clock at the residence, Rev. C. E. French, pastor of the Church of Christ, officiating. Burial in Walnut Ridge cemetery.

This community was again saddened by the news of the death of Mrs. Z. L. Rexroat, which occurred this morning at the Springfield Hospital where she had undergone an operation a few days ago. Her case had not been considered serious until yesterday, the members of the family having been summoned to her bedside last evening. Deceased is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Crum of Bedford, Iowa, her husband and three daughters, Misses Lucile, Rachel and Lella, all at home, and numerous other relatives. The remains will arrive in this city over the B. & O. S. W. at 4:52 this evening and will be conveyed to the family home. Funeral arrangements are not completed.

Mrs. Ida Dearoff of Hastings, Neb., is the guest of her friends in this city.

Leo Finn left this morning for Houston, Tex., where he will spend the remainder of the winter for the benefit of his health.

Mr. Nace Finn who has been visiting relatives in this city, returned to his home in Holington, Kan. Nace had enlisted in the aviation department of the U. S. army but failed in his examination.

Miss Florence D. Hall of Denver is the guest of relatives in this city.

Miss Mabel Ross has resigned her position with the Bruce Sewing Machine Company at Springfield and has accepted the position of bookkeeper at the Petefish, Skiles & Co., bank in this city.

A new bank is being organized in this city, which will take the place of the Farmers National Bank, which recently went out of business.

Public school opened Thursday having been closed since Friday of last week owing to fuel shortage.

Mrs. Sam'l. Greenwood is seriously ill with heart trouble at the family home on West Springfield street.

There will be given a box social at the Alexander School this evening. The money to go to the Red Cross. Everybody come and bring a box.

PATRIOTIC MEETING.

Rev. R. W. Leslie, pastor of Centenary M. E. church has extended to Matt Starr Post and the Women's Relief Corps an invitation to attend patriotic services Sunday evening at 7:30. In addition to an able and eloquent sermon by the gifted pastor there will be patriotic songs by a select choir. The church is central-ly located and easy access and weather being favorable there should be a large turn out on the part of the G. A. R. Your presence will not only be welcome but an inspiration to the younger generation on whose shoulders must rest the responsibility of the republic preserved and handed down by your heroism and valor during the great crusade for human liberty in the days that tried men's souls. Show by your presence that patriotism is not dead, nor even dormant, but as intense as it was when you followed Old Glory to victory in the long ago, and that, in spirit at least, you stand as firm today for the Right as you did when the Great Emancipator sounded the tocsin of war on the 15th day of April, 1861. The event promises to be a feast of reason and a flow of patriotism, such as is so much needed in these days of war's tumult when nations are being shattered and hurled into the red vortex of ruin and the Beast of Prussian tyranny is at our very threshold. Show to the world where you stand in the great crisis now confronting the Union cemented by the blood of 400,000 of your comrades who died rather than this "government of the people, by the people and for the people should perish from the earth," and that they did not die in vain. By your presence and influence demonstrate that your sympathy is with the splendid army of young Americans "over there" who are now, today, standing as a wall of flesh, blood and steel between our loved homes and the devastating torch of ruthless, relentless murderers of innocent women and children. And thank your God that they are over there and will stay there till our old flag stands as a symbol of a world purified by fire and sword and made a safe abode for lovers of peace and haters of oppression as exemplified by the man with a mailed fist and his imperial cohorts who love war for war's sake and revel in human suffering, a suffering that staggers the imagination and beyond the power of words to describe or pen portray.

Leave your aches and pains at home and come out Sunday night and "rally round the flag boys, rally once again."

Yours truly,
J. M. Swales.

All winter hats from \$1 to \$3 each, regardless of cost, at the Miller Hat shop.

William O. Mebra of the south-
western direction was a traveler to the city yesterday.

WAVERLY O. E. S. HELD ANNUAL INSTALLATION

Mrs. Minnie Barrow Was Installing
Officer—Churches to Hold Union
Services During January and Feb-
ruary—Other Waverly News.

Waverly, Ill. Jan. 19.—Waverly Chapter No. 320 O. E. S. held their annual installation of officers Thursday evening. Mrs. Minnie Barrow was installing officer and Mrs. Mary Moffet, Marshall.

W. M.—Mrs. Carrie Deatherage.
W. P.—Robert Etter.
A. M.—Mrs. Edith Etter.
Treas.—Mrs. Lou Ella Lowe.
Cecy.—Mrs. Kate Graves.
Cond.—Miss Mattie Deatherage.
S. Cond.—Miss Stella Rodgers.
Adm.—Mrs. Grace Berry.
Ruh.—Mrs. Alma Shutt.
Esther.—Miss Jessie Stockdale.
Martha.—Mrs. Lora Swift.
Electa.—Mrs. Susie Barch.
Chaplain.—Mrs. Ida Wells.
Marshall.—Miss Edith Wemple.
Organist.—Miss Margaret Tietgen.
Warden.—Mrs. Anna Reagel.
Sentinel.—Wm. Graves.

At a meeting of the Waverly Ministerial Association Thursday afternoon it was voted to recommend to the various congregations of the city to hold union Sunday evening and mid-week services during the months of January and February in order to save fuel.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Hamilton of Detroit, Michigan, arrived Thursday for a visit with the former's mother, Mrs. Avis Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carr of Virden are visiting at the home of the latter's father, H. R. Dalby. Hal Johnson, who has been night operator at the C. B. & Q. station for several months has been transferred to Virden leaving Friday morning for that place.

Leslie Thomas left Wednesday for Kansas City to take a course in automobile engineering.

F. E. Bell of Chicago is visiting at the home of his uncle, W. S. Anderson.

R. E. Coe left Thursday for New York to buy new goods for the Starr store.

**FINAL SALE PRICES TO-
DAY ON COATS, SUITS,
DRESSES, SKIRTS, MILLIN-
ERY AND FURS. SEE OUR
BIG WINDOW DISPLAY TO-
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PRIVATE FOUND GUILTY OF SERIOUS OFFENSE

Three Years at Hard Labor Is
Sentence Imposed on Man Tried
at Camp Taylor—Attempted to
Injure Eyes to Escape Military
Service.

Camp Taylor, Ky. Jan. 18.—Three years at hard labor is sentence imposed upon Private Ernest Springle of the 7th Company, 10th Battalion 15th Depot Brigade, who pleaded guilty to charge of "willfully putting injurious substances into his eyes to escape military service," when tried before a general court martial recently at Camp Zachary Taylor, where Indiana, Kentucky and Southern Illinois men are training for national army service.

The sentence became public when it was published in orders after being approved by Brig. Gen. Wilbur E. Wilder, acting commandant of the camp. Also the verdict orders that Springle be dishonorably discharged from military service and forfeit all pay and allowances due or to become due, but that the execution of that part of his sentence applying to discharge be suspended until he has served his prison term. The sentence directs that he be confined at such place as the reviewing authorities may order. He will be sent to the United States Disciplinary barracks at Fort Leavenworth, Kans.

The offense to which Springle pleaded guilty, was committed Nov. 4, 1917. He also was accused of attempting to bribe attendants of the base hospital to put something in his eye which would incapacitate him for further military service.

Home made mincemeat, the
very best. Douglas.

SOLDIERS' WIVES TO RECEIVE ALLOWANCES

Camp Zachary Taylor, Louisville, Ky. Jan.—Anxious wives of soldiers at the National Army cantonment here, who have not received the allotments of their husbands' monthly pay, will secure their money in due time. This reassuring word comes in a statement credited to Captain Stark, paymaster of the Eighty-fourth Division, which is composed of men from Indiana, Kentucky and Southern Illinois. Many women in that territory have complained that they have received no funds under the law providing for their maintenance and which includes \$15 a month from their husbands' army pay.

They should feel no anxiety as to the statement of the paymaster who is quoted as saying he believes the delay is due to the fact that the War Department is swamped with clerical work.

Meanwhile, it is explained, the paymaster has no authority to make the payments and those who have received no allowance are advised to write to the department.

**Jacksonville vs. Jerseyville,
David Prince Gym tonight at
8 o'clock. Admission 25c.**

INSTALLATION SERVICE.

First Baptist Church.
All the regular morning services will be resumed next Sunday. The 10:45 o'clock service will be one of especial interest—the installation of all newly elected officers, with suitable sermon by the pastor. Every member of the Advisory Board is urged to be present, and it is hoped that there will be the usual good congregation.

Ernest Clark of Litterberry was a traveler down to the city yesterday.

CHILD-SUFFERED PAINFUL INJURY

Freida May Daniels Sustained a
Broken Elbow as Result of Fall—
Miss Helen Young Entertained
Friends on Birthday—Other Litter-
berry Items.

Litterberry, Jan. 18.—Mrs. W. H. Yancy and son Carl and daughter Edith, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Moore of Yatesville, and Miss Pearl Drake of Ashland spent Thursday with John Young and family.

Freida Mae Daniels had the misfortune to fall off of the kitchen cabinet and break her elbow. Dr. Obermeyer was called and set the arm.

Mrs. Ray of Jacksonville is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Chapman. Quite a number of our farmers are butchering their hogs this week despite the cold weather.

A car load of coal arrived Wednesday, which was appreciated by a great many as some were out or almost out.

Mr. and Mrs. Rochester entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner Wednesday evening, Miss Georgia Litter and Miss Ruth Mellor.

Aaron Petefish and wife were in Concord Tuesday, where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Petefish's brother.

We certainly were glad to see the mail trains once more as we had no trains for almost a week on account of snow storms.

Mrs. Lakin of Manchester spent a few days here with her daughters, Erma and Mrs. Rochester.

Mrs. Lizzie Campbell and son Byron of Jacksonville spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Stevenson.

Miss Edyth Yancy returned to her home in Yatesville Friday after a week's visit with her sister here. Word has been received from Orville Petefish of Camp Logan that he is in the hospital with measles.

Mrs. Aaron Petefish was called to Jacksonville Sunday by the serious illness of her brother at the hospital.

Floyd Martin is the possessor of a Ford runabout.

Miss Helen Young entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of her birthday, Charles Young, Landis, Eugene and Aileen Young, Barbara Cooper and Erma Lakin. She was presented with a watch bracelet by her uncle, C. W. Yancy.

Miss Irene Mills visited with Wm. Hull and family a few days last week.

Miss Cecil Tendick returned to her home Saturday after a few days visit with her cousin, Barbara Cooper. W. M. Young of Jacksonville visited over Friday with his sons.

Thomas Pierce visited his mother and sisters in Springfield a few days this week.

**Jacksonville vs. Jerseyville,
David Prince Gym Saturday
night at 8 o'clock. Adm. 25c.**

AVIATION CORPS NEEDS MANY RECRUITS

That America's air fleet is about to have exciting adventures is evidenced by the announcement that the Aviation Corps is in urgent need of 194 chauffeurs and motor truck drivers, 3,562 auto and gas engine men, 1,360 machinists, 220 blacksmith forgers, 220 wheelwrights, 504 cabinetmakers, 460 sheet metal workers and others to a total of 7,000 for service in France behind the lines. They will belong to the "Motor Mechanics Regiment," the first of its sort in American history. Only men outside the draft ages are acceptable under this call, and they must be at least eighteen and not over forty. There are also wanted for the same regiment 200 cooks, 100 canvas workers, 80 house and sign painters, 20 harness makers and 80 acetylene welders. The U. S. Public Service Reserve of the Department of Labor, which has undertaken to get these 7,000 men for the Aviation Corps, states that the men specified are urged to enlist at any recruiting station, and that they should not leave jobs in shipyards or war industries for this service, attractive as it is. The regiment will have a short period of training at Fort Hancock, Ga., before going to France.

Calvin Lawson of the east part of the county drove to the city in his Buick car yesterday, but had a hard time of it. The path cut for sleighs is hardly wide enough for a car and he had to go thru some cuts eight feet deep, greatly impeding his progress.

Why Not Buy That

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\$15 to \$30 All Wool
Coats

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The 100% Pure Wool Store.

In the Matter of the Estate of George S. Gay, Deceased.

NOTICE

The undersigned, as Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of George S. Gay, deceased, gives notice that she will be at the Jewelry Store of E. W. Bassett, No. 21 South Side Public Square, between the hours of 9:30 A. M. and 12 noon, and 1:30 P. M. of each week day, for the receipt of all accounts due the estate of George S. Gay, deceased. All persons who are indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated January 18, 1918.

JENNIE A. GAY,

As Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of George S. Gay, Deceased.

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Dr. Josephine Milligan—
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Office hours—10 to 12 a. m. 4
to 5 p. m. Both phones, 275.
Residence—1123 W. State street.
Both phones, 151.

Virginia Dinsmore, M. D.—
Office and residence, 303 West
College avenue.
Telephones: Bell, 180; Ill. 180
Office hours—8 to 11 a. m. 2 to
5 p. m.

Dr. G. R. Bradley—
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.
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Hours—9:30 to 11:30 a. m. 1:30
to 4:30 and 7 to 8 p. m. Sunday 8
to 9:30 a. m. and by appointment.
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Both Phones 760.
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to 12. Sunday and evenings by ap-
pointment.

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Over 50% of my patients come
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Treatments—Alpine Sun Lamp.
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If you have anything in this line
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tions one-half a cent a word. If ad is or-
dered to run one month or more without
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In answering "keyed" or "blind" ads
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names and addresses of parties placing
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given out—you must reply in writing
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The Journal will take Want Ads over
the phone as an accommodation to our
subscribers with the understanding that
collection can be made for the same the
next day. If you phone a Want Ad to-
day the collector will call to collect
tomorrow. The Journal cannot be re-
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WANTED
OLD FALSE TEETH WANTED—
Don't matter if broken. I pay
\$2 to \$15 per set. Also cash for
old gold, silver, and broken jew-
elry. Sent by parcel post and
receive check by return mail. Will
hold goods 10 days for senders ap-
proval of my offer. L. Mazer, 2007
So. 5th St., Phila., Pa. 1-17-100

**WANTED—Five cents a copy will
be paid for 5 copies of Journal of
January 10th. Bring to Journal
office.**
1-19-11.

**WANTED TO RENT—Modern,
furnished light house keeping
rooms with use of garage. Phone
Illinois 1290.**
1-8-tf.

**WANTED—To buy modern 6 or
7 room house, with garage and
plenty of lot room. Call Bell 280,
on west side.**
1-18-3t

HELP WANTED
WANTED—Experienced white
woman for cook. Apply Passavant
Hospital.
12-22-tf.

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**WANTED—Man, good with stock,
to work on farm. Give refer-
ences. Address "Man" care Jour-
nal.**
1-12-30-tf.

FOR RENT
FOR RENT—Nicely furnished
housekeeping rooms. Separate en-
trances, 329 South Clay.
1-13-1mo.

**FOR RENT—Vehicle storage. Cher-
ry's Annex.**
1-3-tf.

**FOR RENT—House always. The
Johnston Agency.**
1-1-tf.

**FOR RENT—5 room cottage. Apply
345 East Chambers St.**
12-30-tf.

**FOR RENT—4 room house, 716 S.
Main, Phone 915.**
1-13-6t

**FOR RENT—5 room cottage cor-
ner Diamond and Lafayette ave. Call
Ill. tel. 573.**
12-30-tf

**FOR RENT—4 room house and
barn. Apply 761 Hardin avenue.**
1-4-tf.

**FOR RENT—6 room modern house
close in. Hodgson and Ledford,
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trances, 329 South Clay.**
12-13-1mo.

**FOR RENT—8 room house, 137
Spaulding Place; furnace heat,
gas, electricity. Apply 116 Spauld-
ing Place, Ill. phone 50-691.**
1-3-tf

FOR SALE
FOR SALE—Home grown early Ohio
potatoes. D. S. Taylor, Ill. phone
60-86.
1-2-tf.

**FOR SALE—Fresh cows, extra good
ones. F. V. Correa & Co., Man-
chester, Ill.**
12-21-tf

**I HAVE FOR SALE a very fine two
horse sleigh, with chime bells for
the harness. Wm. A. Kirby, Ill.
phone 427.**
1-11-tf

**FOR SALE—Potatoes and turnips,
delivered. L. N. James, Ill. phone
86.**
12-16-tf

**FOR SALE—At Harney's, 215 W.
Morgan street, Sleigh bells and
Foot Warmers.**
1-16-tf

**SEED CORN—I have 1000 bushels
1916 corn guaranteed test 95 or
better, get your order in now or
else you may plant your corn
ground in "navy beans." Bell
phone 262. M. S. Zachary, 1-17-6t**

\$17.00 per bu. frt. prepaid. Also
alfalfa timothy, alkali and all
kinds of farm seeds at wholesale
prices. Send for samples and com-
plete price list. Kelly Seed Co.,
San Jose, Ill. 1-18-6t

**FOR SALE—60 acre farm, well im-
proved Sangamon county land.
Good six room house, barn, crib,
concrete hog house, poultry house,
granary, young bearing orchard,
small fruit. Two miles from mar-
ket. Telephone, R. R. Oil roads.
15 miles from Springfield. .40 or
50 acres can be rented near by.
Possession March 1, 1918. Apply
J. W. Doyle, 217 1/2 S. 6th St.,
Springfield, Ill. 1-15-12t.**

MISCELLANEOUS

**MONEY TO LOAN ALWAYS—The
Johnson Agency.**
1-1-tf.

**MONEY TO LOAN on Real Estate
Security. M. C. Hook & Co.**
12-13-1mo.

**TRUNKS, LEATHER GOODS AND
REPAIRING—Harney's Leather
Goods Store, 315 West Morgan
St.**
12-22-tf.

**CALL WOOD'S for taxi for clubs,
parties and trains; baggage trans-
fer; auto for country trips. Either
phone 174. Office 210 East Court
Street.**
12-17-tf.

**PUBLIC AUCTION—I will hold a
general farm sale at my residence,
4 miles south of Prentice, Wed-
nesday, Jan. 23, 1918, beginning
at 10 a. m. G. V. Flinn, 1-4-tf.**

**SETTLING ESTATE—160 Acres,
grain farm in Scott county, Ill.,
7 room house; barn for 10 head
of horses, large loft, buggy shed,
large crib and granary and other
improvements. Well located build-
ing lot 141 by 160, sewer and gas.
Call or address Chas. E. Correa,
524 South Diamond St., Jackso-
ville.**
1-6-1mo.

**SEALED PROPOSALS for eggs,
poultry, fish, fresh fruits, green
vegetables, (excepting matured
potatoes and onions), straw, hay,
corn and oats for supplying the
Jacksonville State Hospital, Illi-
nois School for Blind, Jacksonville,
will be received until twelve
o'clock (noon) until the first day
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tisement. Full information and
bidding blanks will be furnished
upon application to the Managing
Officer of the above named institu-
tion.**
1-15-16-26

LOST and FOUND
LOST—2 keys on ring. Finder re-
turn to Journal office. Reward.

**LOST—Two horse blankets. Return
to Journal office. Reward.**
1-19-6t.

**LOST—Pig about two months' old,
in sack between West St. and Har-
din Ave., or between 423 West St.
and College St. Owner was told
by school boys that it was found.
Finder call both phones 87. Re-
ward. C. H. Young.**
1-19-1t.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE
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—and we give—

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18c 36-inch BROWN MUSLIN

15c Yard

35c 42x36 Extra Quality Bleached PILLOW CASES

25c

\$4.00 Bolt of 12 Yards of Fine Family NAINSOOK

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15c Yard

36-inch Standard Percales Dark and Light Styles

20c

Coats' SPOOL COTTON 6 Spools

25c

25c 36-inch BLEACHED MUSLIN Best Quality

20c

9-4 Standard Bleached SHEETING Special for This Sale

45c

28-inch STANDARD APRON GINGHAMS All Style Checks

16c

Feather Bed Ticking Priced at

40c Yard Standard Quality

RAD. JOHNS & REID'S
DRY GOODS STORE

WILL STUDY RADIO WORK FOR U. S.

Local Signal School Will Give Instructions in This Important Branch

Officers of the Morgan County Signal School which was organized some time ago for the purpose of teaching telegraphy met at the Ayers National Bank yesterday.

Chairman Rammelkamp reported that he had received word from the government that the teaching of telegraphy should not be started. Instead of telegraphy, radio or wireless work will be taught. Owing to the fact that all wireless plants operated by amateurs have been dismantled, the local school will be furnished with buzzers. These buzzers will be connected to the ordinary Morse telegraph key and the signals made as in regular telegraph work. The equipment was shipped January 9th, and should be here in a few days.

As soon as the equipment is received Joseph Wilson of Rock Island and R. J. Schamel of Rockford, Ill., who are here installing equipment at the local Central Union Telephone office, have donated their services to the local committee and will put the instruments in place. At the meeting yesterday a motion was made by Miller Weir and seconded by H. A. Perrin that a vote of thanks be extended to the men who had so willingly donated their services.

John J. Reeve, representing the business men said that all chairs and tables at the Chamber of Commerce were at the disposal of the school and Joseph L. Pine, of the Western Union said he would furnish one of the tables needed.

Chairman Rammelkamp hopes to have the school in operation shortly and will give due notice to all who applied for the course.

Edward Wackerle and Philip Deering of the Central Illinois Radio Club have been added to the force of instructors. Both are thorough wireless men and will be able to give some valuable information on the workings of wireless.

Those present at the meeting yesterday were: Dr. C. H. Rammelkamp, chairman of the local committee, John J. Reeve, H. A. Perrin, Miller Weir, J. S. Findley, Joseph L. Pine, and W. H. DeShara.

THE PUBLIC MUST AGAIN SAVE WATER

The water situation again is critical, and will be until there is a genuine thaw. Consumers must again use from wells and cisterns for closet flushings, bathing, etc., and otherwise practice water conservation. Offenders will be cut off. There now is but about five feet of water in the reservoir and that must be held for possible fires. I regret the action necessary, but we face cold facts.

JOSHUA VASCONCELLOS, Commissioner

TENANT HOUSE IS DESTROYED BY FIRE

Property on Farm of S. T. Zachary Totally Destroyed Friday Morning—Hunters Shoot a Valuable Horse.

A tenant house on the farm of S. T. Zachary occupied by Clarence Buchanan was totally destroyed by fire Friday morning. All of the contents belonging to Mr. Buchanan also were destroyed. Mr. Zachary's loss is about \$600, which is partially covered by insurance. Mr. Buchanan carried no insurance on his household goods.

It is thought by Mr. Zachary that the fire started from an overheated stove. Mr. Buchanan had come to Jacksonville Friday morning and his wife had closed the house and gone to a neighbors to spend the day. No one was in the house when the fire started and it gained great headway before being discovered.

The old saying that troubles never come singly is proven in Mr. Zachary's case. Last Thursday some careless hunters shot a valuable mare. The animal is badly crippled. Mr. Zachary is giving the animal treatment and tho it may live it will never be of much value.

Best warm underwear, socks, mitts, gloves, caps; Knobs.

SUITS INVOLVE LAND COMMISSION

Two suits have been filed in the circuit court by Worthington, Reeve & Green as attorneys for B. R. Upham. The complainant seeks to recover \$2,000 from John Adkins, claiming that he had a contract with Mr. Adkins for the sale of 320 acres of land near Prentice at a price of \$220 an acre. Mr. Upham says that when he had a customer ready to purchase the land Mr. Adkins refused to sell. On the same ground Mr. Upham seeks to recover \$400 from William Petefish of the Litterberry neighborhood, maintaining that he had a customer ready to purchase Mr. Petefish's farm of 80 acres at \$210 an acre, in accordance with a previous agreement. Both suits are based on a claim of 2 per cent commission on the sum that the farms would have brought if the transfers had been made.

AN INDUSTRIOUS KNITTER.

Mrs. Asa Robinson of North Main street, bought of Mrs. F. C. Taylor, a knitting machine and has completed 567 1-2 pairs of wristlets for the soldiers. Wednesday and Thursday she timed herself and in her leisure moments after attending to her regular household duties, she knit 39 1-2 pairs and it wasn't an extra good day for knitting either. Plenty of ladies like Mrs. Robinson, properly equipped would do a great deal toward supplying the boys at the front with knitted goods.

Gregg Tindall of Antioch was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

BOARD ORGANIZES FOR LOYALTY CAMPAIGN

Meeting Held Friday to Perfect Organization—Committee Makes Report.

The board of education met in called session yesterday afternoon at the David Prince building with all present except President Lippincott, and member Black, both absent from the city. Member T. H. Rapp was called to the chair.

It was explained that in the absence of President Lippincott there was no one to sign warrants for salaries and other purposes and Member Rapp was unanimously chosen to fill the place of chairman temporarily.

Supt. Perrin presented the following paper to the board:

The Illinois State Council of Defense has issued an appeal to the schools thruout the state of Illinois asking them to arrange the work of the upper grades so that boys who are in school may be allowed to go to the farm May 1st without losing any material part of their school work. The great need for producing large quantities of food during the next year has made it clear that the older boys will have to be used on the farms this spring. Specially is this true since many of the younger men have gone to war. The movement has the sanction of President Wilson, Governor Lowden, State Superintendent Blair and State Council of Defense.

A plan has been worked out and approved by a special committee consisting of J. C. Hanna, state supervisor of high schools; H. A. Hollister, Illinois university high school visitor; J. Stanley Brown, Joliet township high school; J. E. Armstrong, Emblewood high school; and Harry Taylor, principal of high school, Haribourg.

The plan includes the teaching of about thirty lessons prepared by Dean Davenport of the University of Illinois, to a class made up of boys in the high school who expect to do farm work in the spring. This course will take the place of some regular study and will be given an agricultural credit. The list of subjects to be considered are listed as follows: When the City Boy Goes to the Farm—(Eugen Davenport).

Doing the Chores—(A. W. Nolan).

The Horse and His Parts—(J. L. Edmunds).

Feeding and Care of Horses—(J. L. Edmunds).

Driving and Working the Horse—(J. H. Checkley).

The Wagon and the Plow—Parts and Care—(E. A. White).

Eveners and the Three-Horse Hitch—(E. A. White).

The Harness: Its Parts and Care—(J. H. Checkley).

The Cow and Her Parts—(E. M. Clark).

Milking the Cow—(W. E. Young).

The Pig and the Care—(J. W. Carmichael).

Care of the Cattle—(W. H. Smith).

Care of Sheep in Summer—(W. E. Coffey).

Poultry, Care and Breeds.

The Seeding and the Seed-bed—(W. L. Burlison).

The Use of Manures and Artificial Fertilizers.

Shovel and Spade; Rake and Pitchfork; Other Hand Tools; Their Use and Care—(E. A. White).

The Hoe and Its Use—(J. W. Lloyd).

Weeds and Their Destruction—(W. L. Burlison).

The Farmers' Garden—(C. E. Durst).

Potatoes—(W. L. Burlison).

The Hay Crop—(W. L. Burlison).

The Grain Crops; Shocking and Setting Up—(W. L. Burlison).

Rainy Day Work—(A. W. Jamison).

Ropes, Splices and Ties—(E. A. White).

Common Abuses of Machinery; Care of Farm Machinery—(E. A. White).

Gas Engines—(S. A. White).

Fences and Gates—(H. E. Horton).

Hot Weather Hints—(A. W. Nolan).

Threshing Time on the Farm.

The plan is to acquaint boys with farm work who have had little experience in that line thru a series of talks, lectures and demonstrations. Boys who come to school from the country will probably be included in the class and will be able to give much assistance to the work of the class.

A plan will be worked out whereby farm boys may leave school May 1st having completed the work of the semester. This will necessitate a slight modification of the subjects which they may take, but this can be done in such a way that they will miss no fundamental essentials. It is the suggestion of the committee that the school be run for this semester on a plan providing for a rapid covering of the subject matter up to May 1st, thus giving the farm boys a chance to receive credit for the entire work and still give the class an opportunity of having a substantial review after these boys have left. In this fashion, those that remain in school will have the work as usual, while those who must leave will get the main points fairly well in hand.

He suggested that it would be well to arrange to permit boys to leave school May 1st for farm work and to arrange it so that they may get full credit for the semester. The matter was referred to Supt. Perrin with power to act.

The committee appointed to prepare plans for the Loyalty campaign presented the following report.

To the Members of the Board of Education,

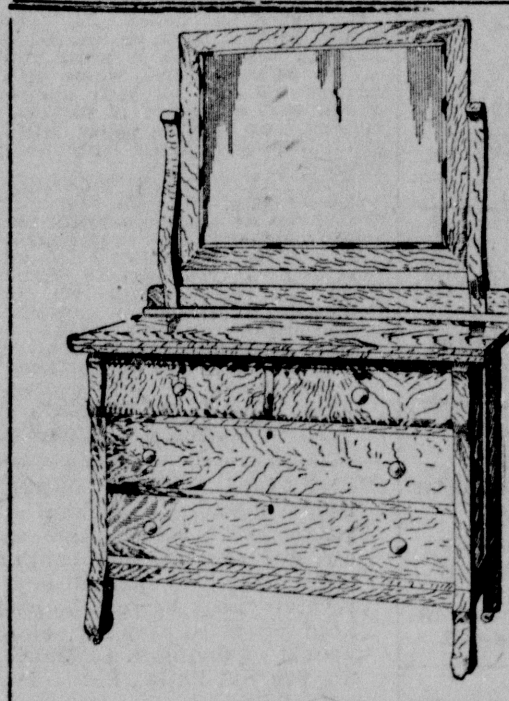
Jacksonville, Ill.

The committee appointed by your body to make plans for the Loyalty Campaign, as prescribed by our National Government, begs leave to recommend, as follows:

We suggest the use of election precincts, as a basis, with a captain for each precinct, who will be known as a "Loyalty Captain", who with the Ward Chairman will select the

January Clearance of Odd Pieces

We have a few odds and ends in Beds, Dressers and Chiffoniers that balance of suite has been sold, which we are closing out this week at a great reduction.



Mahogany Dressers

Similar to cut, dull finish, regular 30 inch bevelled mirror, \$35.00 value,

This Week

\$28

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Brown mahogany Chiffonier—regular \$21.00 value, this week

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block or neighboring officers to do the active soliciting.

After the organization is fully completed and each one has received proper instructions, then the actual canvass to take place.

We further recommend that the local press be asked to give wide publicity to the meaning and object of the canvass, so the public will be familiar with the undertaking.

We again recommend that a list of all persons over eighteen (18) years, be made at the same time the canvass is made.

Signed A. C. Metcalf,
Second Ward.
W. P. Duncan,
First Ward.
Henry Muehlhausen,
Third Ward.
Thomas Hopper,
Fourth Ward.

The members of this committee earnestly request every loyal person to aid in this work of distributing and collecting cards. It is the desire to do this work thoroughly and to that end it is necessary that help should be offered from every possible source. Notice will be given of the time and place for the distribution of cards.

Jacksonville vs. Jerseyville,
David Prince Gym Saturday night at 8 o'clock. Adm. 25c.

PAUL FRITCHEY HERE.

Expects Soon to be Summoned to "Somewhere in France."

Paul Fritchey was in the city yesterday shaking hands with the many friends he has in Jacksonville. The young gentleman is in army Y. M. C. A. work and has been at Fort Myer, Virginia, and Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont. He expected to return very shortly to New York and be attached to the personal bureau of the work and be sent shortly to France. He is looking quite well tho he says he couldn't stand the examination for enlistment in the ranks. He greatly enjoyed his visit here, meeting so many who knew and esteemed him while he was a resident of Jacksonville.

Home made mincemeat, the very best. Douglas.

ICE FOR SANATORIUM

The Morgan county anti-tuberculosis sanatorium will have a plentiful supply of ice this coming summer as a result of action taken by William Batz, president of the sanatorium board, in connection with James E. Starr. Realizing that there would be a considerable need for ice and that this is a splendid opportunity to secure it, Mr. Batz arranged with Mr. Starr for use of ice tools and equipment and about 30 tons of ice eleven inches thick have been taken from the pond and placed in storage. Mr. Batz said yesterday that the management greatly appreciated the courtesy shown by Mr. Starr.

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INDUSTRIAL CONFUSION IS NATION-WIDE

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to the congestion. It is no condemnation of industry to say that each would have striven to the utmost to increase its supply of coal and other raw material during the days prior to the application of the order.

Assistants Struggle With Requests

The situation in Atlantic ports, drew most of Dr. Garfield's attention today which his assistants struggled with the great volume of requests for interpretations of the general terms of the order. Fuel administration representatives were dispatched to the principal Atlantic ports there to remain until every ship held up for lack of fuel had its bunkers filled. Reports tonight to the administration said the situation would improve immediately and more than a million tons of shipping detained would be on its way within a short time.

Suggestions that a railroad embargo be declared on the shipment of goods from factories shut down and on the movement of materials to the Atlantic seaboard were disproved today by Secretary McAdoo, director-general of railroads who said that the railroad congestion would be cleared in a few weeks. Fuel administration officials favor an embargo and believe it would materially aid in improving not only transportation conditions but the fuel situation as well.

Reports to the fuel administration said that observance of the order in the territory to which it applies was general. Some few violations were noted and the department of justice will be asked to investigate thru its local representatives.

Most of the violations it was believed were due to misunderstanding and lack of information. In some states federal fuel officials themselves misunderstood the order and attempted to close down plants operated by administration has no control. Dr. Garfield declared tonight that

while it would be comparatively easy for plants to evade the order, he believed there would be few violations. Suggestions that some of the factories might attempt evasions by operating on Sundays while closing on the ten Monday holidays drew from him the statement that if that were attempted he would take quick measures to cut off the supply of coal from the offending plants.

No More General Exemptions

There will be no more general exemptions of plants, Dr. Garfield said, except over the signature either of Secretary Baker or Secretary Daniels. Interpretations of the orders, however, as applied to industries on which the exempted plants are dependent for raw materials, the fuel administration probably will make liberal rules.

"It is our purpose in this respect," said Dr. Garfield, "to make intelligent decisions. The raw materials needs of exempted plants will be recognized and cared for."

Tomorrow the fuel administration is expected to make public a list of interpretations in specific cases which will be given general application. Some of these rulings were made today and exempted among others certain mines producing necessary metals, the manufacture of ice, the operation of laundries (except on the Monday holidays), the manufacture of medical supplies for the army and navy and the manufacture of mine equipment. In addition to a long list of exemptions of food producing plants and related industries, it was announced that further exemptions would be made by state food administrations.

Officials who have contended for months that the best way to handle the coal situation was by denying fuel to non-essential industries viewed the closing order with more favor tonight when they learned of the exemption of war industries. The order as it stands cuts off all of the so-called non-essentials and while it denies fuel also to many industries producing necessities it was evident tonight that its application would be far less drastic than at first believed.

Reply to the Senate

Dr. Garfield's letter to the senate follows:

"Permit me to confirm the message which I sent to you yesterday afternoon by Mr. Baker, clerk of the senate.

"It is my earnest desire that the members of the senate should know that as an executive officer of the government, I would not willingly treat a request of the senate with other than the greatest respect. The order suspending the operation of industrial plants in portions of the United States was issued only after deliberate consideration and will, I firmly believe, aid effectively in providing coal for domestic consumers for the prompt bunkering of ships carrying necessary war material abroad and for the relief of the serious congestion at the docks and at many points in the section covered by the order. I still believe it should stand.

To delay the application of the order would only add to the congestion. It would be only natural that industry in the interval, would redouble its efforts to increase supplies on hand.

"To permit factories with a coal supply to operate during the period of suspension would allow many producing articles least essential to the war to continue while some producing articles the most essential would be compelled to shut down. Moreover, continued production by those well supplied with coal would delay if not defeat the relief contemplated by the order. I should add that the resolution was presented to me at 6:35 P. M., yesterday and that the order was signed at 5:45."

Instructions for diverting coal from industries closed down during the five day period went out today to all local representatives of the fuel administration. They directed that supplies reaching their destination be taken over by the fuel officers and distributed among the preferred class of householders, hospitals, public utilities and others whom the order does not affect. At the same time, Secretary McAdoo sent telegrams asking all the railroad presidents in the eastern territory to cooperate with the fuel officials.

Secretary McAdoo made this statement endorsing the fuel administrator's stand:

"I think the results of the order will be very beneficial to the country in the end," he said. "It was drastic action, and not very pleasant, but I cannot help thinking that it will give us a chance to clear up this transportation congestion and in a little time we will be moving along in better condition than before. The order was a good deal like a serious operation, bad for the time, but beneficial in the end."

RECEIVE ZEPPELIN BATTLE FLAG

Washington, Jan. 18.—The battle flag of the Zeppelin L-49 brought down near Bourdeaux, France, Oct. 17, 1917, has been received at the National Museum. The flag, deep red, bears no distinguishing insignia of any kind. Accompanying it were small portions of the outer envelope and the gas bag of the Zeppelin.

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MORTUARY

Dickerman
 Ralph V. Dickerman, aged 42 years, died at a local hospital this (Saturday) morning. Deceased was for eight years a mail clerk in the Springfield postoffice. He is survived by his wife and two children and three brothers. The remains were taken to the undertaking parlors of W. W. Gillham and prepared for burial and will be sent to Springfield today.

PRINT PAPER STOCKS

AHEAD OF DEMAND
 Washington, Jan. 18.—Print paper stocks were shown in figures issued today by the federal trade commission to be approximately 33 days ahead of demand. Publishers have on hand 138,000 tons, manufacturers 41,000 tons and there are 6,000 tons at terminals. The monthly consumption is estimated roughly at 170,000 tons.

ULYSSES HILLER A SUICIDE

East Orange, N. J., Jan. 18.—Ulysses Grant Hillier, son of the late General William S. Hillier, member of General Grant's staff during the civil war committed suicide at the home of his sister here today by inhaling illuminating gas. He was formerly connected with the Continental Oil company of Denver, where his wife is said to be living. Brooding over the separation is believed to have been the motive for the suicide.

MADE ELIGIBLE FOR PROMOTION

Washington, Jan. 18.—Eighteen thousand temporary second lieutenants in the regular army were made eligible for promotion to first lieutenants in the National Army by a war department order today. Divisional commanders have been called upon to furnish lists of those qualified for promotion.

STREAMS OF COAL MOVING

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Shipyards, including the navy yards at Norfolk, Charleston and New Orleans and the Newport News plant were in full operation.

Richmond apparently had the greatest army of idle workers of any city in the south, 30,000 having been reported out of work there. Norfolk and vicinity reported from 10,000 to 12,000; New Orleans 1,000; Macon, Ga., 7,000; Memphis, 7,000; Chattanooga from 15,000 to 20,000; Charleston, S. C., about 25,000 and Knoxville about 3,500.

DAVID LLOYD GEORGE EXPLAINS REASONS FOR MAN-POWER BILL

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have a right to say 'neither will we remain here.' * * *

"What sort of terms do you think we could get from General von Hindenburg if we said to him, 'we want you to clear out of Belgium?' He would say in his heart 'you cannot turn me out of Belgium with trade union resolutions!' But I tell you the answer you can give him: 'We can turn you out of Belgium with trade union guns and trade unionists behind them.' They have broken his line already and if we endure with the spirit of our fathers and the spirit that has made the greatness of this land its power, its prestige and its honor, we shall yet be able to carry to conviction, to carry to triumph, to carry to reality, to carry as an essential part of the story of this world, the great aim that you in your own language that the government in their language and President Wilson in his noble language have been proclaiming in the last few days have over long survived the failure of its adherents to be ready to die for it. * * *

"If any man standing in my place can find an honorable, equitable and just way out of this conflict without fighting it thru, for Heaven's sake let him tell me. My own conviction is this—the people either must go on or go under."

A great number of questions were put to the premier by the delegates regarding the advisability of entering into peace negotiations or the admitting of a conference at Stockholm. Mr. Lloyd George, in reply said:

"Germany always has been ready for peace at her own price, but that is not a price that we are prepared to pay. The moment the Germans show a disposition to negotiate a peace on equitable terms—and they are the terms the labor party itself has in substance adopted—there will be no reluctance to enter into peace negotiations."

A delegate inquired whether President Wilson's reference to the freedom of the seas in his speech agreed with the views of the British government. Mr. Lloyd George replied:

"I wish to know what freedom of the seas means. Does it mean freedom for submarines and does it mean starvation for this country? After all we are in a very different position from America or Germany, France or any other continental country. We islanders must scrutinize with the greatest care any proposal which might impair our ability to protect our lines of communication across the seas."

HELD FOR MAKING THREATS AGAINST PRESIDENT

Ottawa, Ill., Jan. 18.—Ignaz Slavia, 39 years old, charged with threats against the president was brought to the county jail here today from East Wenona. He is being held for federal authorities.

CO-OPERATING WITH GOVERNMENT

Rockford, Ill., Jan. 18.—Rockford retail merchants voted today to observe the government closing order on Mondays voluntarily agreed to close stores every night except Saturday at six o'clock and to eliminate all unnecessary illumination.

War News Summarized

"The people must either go on or go under," was the stirring climax of an address delivered to the trades unions of Great Britain by David Lloyd George, the British prime minister Friday in London.

The premier's address followed closely the passage by the house of commons by the man-power bill, which has associates object to the raising to more men to strengthen the British fighting force.

In concluding the premier said, if any man could find an honorable and equitable way out of the conflict without fighting it thru 'for Heaven's sake let him tell me.'"

Notwithstanding the apparently insuperable barrier that was reported to exist between the Austro-Germans and the Bolshevik representatives at the Brest-Litovsk conference growing out of the demands of the Teutonic allies, Trotsky, the Bolshevik foreign minister has agreed to a continuation of the discussions. Nothing has come thru to show the trend they are taking.

An agreement has been reached however, between the Teutonic allies and the Ukrainian delegates as to the future status of the Ukrainian government.

According to an official German communication the agreement was arrived at "during a private meeting," and marks a decisive step forward.

Whether the ultimatum by Russia to Roumania calling for the instant release of members of the Bolshevik arrested in Roumania was answered is not known.

The political unrest in Germany continues unabated, and Chancellor von Hertling again has postponed his speech to the main committee of the reichstag in answer to the war aims announced by President Wilson and Premier Lloyd George.

On the fighting fronts no fighting of moment is taking place anywhere.

Star cheese. Douglas.

CHANGES IN U. S. WAR-MAKING MACHINERY

Washington, Jan. 18.—Radical changes in the government's war-making machinery are proposed in bills to establish a war council of three members all powerful under the president and to create a director of war munitions approved today by the senate military committee.

The bill for a director of munitions was placed before the senate today and that for the war council will be introduced by Chairman Chamberlain Monday when the senate reconvenes. Proposals to have the secretaries of war and navy as ex-officio members of the war council were rejected today by the committee before the measure was put in final form. As ordered reported the bill proposes that the three members of the war council shall be appointed by the president with confirmation by the senate, and be directly under the president and above the cabinet in authority with power to supervise, control and direct all departments, bureaus and agencies of the government in the prosecution of the war.

It is proposed that the council members shall have no other duties than to form and execute with the president's approval and co-operate, broad war policies and decide priorities and disputes between the different departments and bureaus.

Jacksonville vs. Jerseyville, David Prince Gym Saturday night at 8 o'clock. Adm. 25c.

SPENT EVENING AT LYNNVILLE.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Pontius, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ehnie, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. H. Self, Mr. and Mrs. George Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Clement, Miss Eleanor Thompson all of this city and Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Cronkrite, Miss Carrie Campbell and Miss Nettie Hills of Lynnville and Lloyd Cronkrite of Danville spent Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gibbs. The evening was spent in a social way and oysters were served.

SUGAR INVESTIGATION WILL END TODAY

Washington, Jan. 18.—Investigation of the sugar situation was closed today by the senate manufacturers' committee and the coal shortage inquiry probably will be completed tomorrow.

Developments this week have led to the conclusion that a report should be made at once on coal.

Coal men on the Allegheny Valley in Pennsylvania and George H. Cushing, editor of a coal trade paper at Chicago, testifying today placed responsibility for most of the coal difficulties upon Fuel Administrator Garfield and the Northwest priority orders.

THIEVES RAID CLUB

Minneapolis, Jan. 18.—Seven armed men raided the Commodore Club, in the heart of the downtown district here early today, took approximately \$5,300, in cash and \$1,500 worth of jewelry from seven Faro players and the dealer and about \$300 in cash from thirty loungers in the club rooms and escaped.

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ENTERTAINMENT FOR RED CROSS GIVEN

Durbin School Scene of Entertainment and Oyster Supper for Red Cross—Affair Largely Attended

Durbin school house near Clement station was the scene of a large gathering Friday evening, when an entertainment and oyster supper was held. This building is one of the newest school buildings in the county, having been completed just a few weeks ago. It is up to date in every respect and the district board, composed of B. F. Rawlings, Thomas Oxley and James Oxley and James R. Seymour, are to be congratulated on the modernness of the structure.

There were about 100 present last night to hear the program which had been prepared under the direction of the teacher, Miss Corinne Rodgers. It was very gratifying to see the way that the young people aided in making the evening a success, and they spent much work in raising this money for the Red Cross.

Friday Social Circle Met with Mrs. Keefe.

The Friday Social circle met with Mrs. James Keefe Friday afternoon. The members of the circle are devoted to their attention to making garments for the Red Cross this year and have completed a large number of garments which have been turned over to the Red Cross shop.

South Side Circle Met with Miss Wackerle.

The South Side circle met with Miss Wackerle at Illinois Woman's college Friday afternoon. There was a good attendance of members and a number of visitors also were present. The paper of the afternoon was presented by Mrs. Newman, her subject being "Lincoln and Douglas." Miss Jessie Wall of the college sang a group of songs, two by John Alden Carpenter and one by Carrie Jacobs Bond, and Mr. Jensen gave a piano number. During the social hour that followed the program the hostess served refreshments.

Wednesday Class Met with Miss Marie Fairbank.

The Wednesday Class met with Miss Marie Fairbank Friday afternoon with a good attendance. The subject for the afternoon was "Lincoln and His Contemporaries." The subject contained much of interest and was well presented by Miss Fairbank. The class is studying Illinois history and the topics outlined for the year are mainly those pertaining to the early history of the state and is in keeping with the centennial year.

Fur remodeling, Ill. 881.

DEATHS

Tankersley.

Jere Tankersley, a well known resident of Alexander died at Passavant hospital Friday morning after a long illness. Deceased was born in Ohio November 21, 1857, and came to this state about 20 years ago and settled at Alexander. He engaged in the coal and salt business at that place. Mr. Tankersley also did surveying thruout that part of the county. When a young man Mr. Tankersley thru an accident in a sawmill lost a leg. He was a man of kindly disposition and was well liked by all who knew him. He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Phoebe Middleton, residing at Alexander. The remains were removed to the undertaking parlors of J. G. Reynolds and prepared for burial. Services will be held from the parlors this afternoon at 2 o'clock in charge of the Rev. M. L. Pontius. Burial will be in Diamond Grove cemetery.

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BERLIN COMMENT ON U. S. WAR PREPARATIONS

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DEATHS

Tankersley.

Jere Tankersley, a well known resident of Alexander died at Passavant hospital Friday morning after a long illness. Deceased was born in Ohio November 21, 1857, and came to this state about 20 years ago and settled at Alexander. He engaged in the coal and salt business at that place. Mr. Tankersley also did surveying thruout that part of the county. When a young man Mr. Tankersley thru an accident in a sawmill lost a leg. He was a man of kindly disposition and was well liked by all who knew him. He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Phoebe Middleton, residing at Alexander. The remains were removed to the undertaking parlors of J. G. Reynolds and prepared for burial. Services will be held from the parlors this afternoon at 2 o'clock in charge of the Rev. M. L. Pontius. Burial will be in Diamond Grove cemetery.

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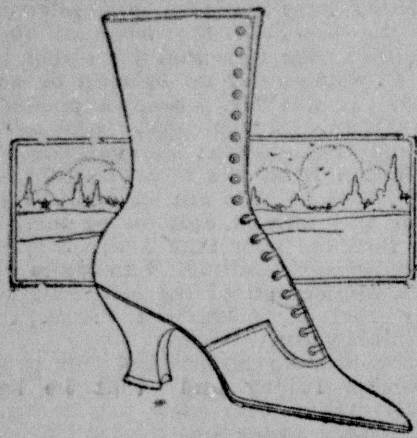
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Recent arrivals of Felts, Four Buckle Arctics, Rubbers and Leggings. We have the goods.

RED CROSS MAKES ANOTHER SHIPMENT

Grand Total of Knitted Garments Sent By Morgan County Women Shows Splendid Activity.

Another shipment of knitted goods was sent from the Red Cross shop Friday to the headquarters in Chicago. This shipment included 358 sweaters, 42 helmets, 36 mufflers, 126 pairs wristlets and 201 pairs socks. The showing is quite remarkable when it is remembered that these garments were turned in during the past ten days. When the Red Cross society here was notified that 1200 sweaters and a proportionate amount of other garments constituted the allotment for this precinct many of the women felt that an almost impossible task had been outlined. The fears of the fearful had been wiped out and the expectations of the sanguine exceeded by the splendid record made.

Since last September the books show the following total of garments knitted and shipped to the divisional headquarters: 1965 sweaters, 1560 pairs socks, 876 pairs wristlets, 416 mufflers, 222 helmets. This splendid showing gives the most indisputable kind of evidence not only of the loyalty but the industry of the women of Morgan county. This work has all been done since the first of last September and the year will show indeed a remarkable record.

The more recent instructions from the Red Cross headquarters ask that the women devote their special efforts to the knitting of sweaters, wristlets and socks.

Jacksonville vs. Jerseyville, David Prince Gym tonight at 8 o'clock. Admission 25c.

H. J. Osborne of St. Louis paid the city a business visit yesterday.

WATER SHORTAGE IS MORE SERIOUS

Supply in West Side Reservoir in Dangerous State—Mr. Vasconcellos Issues Another Appeal.

There was less water in the west side reservoir yesterday when the reading was taken than has been true even for several weeks past. The fact is that the reservoir showed but 5 feet four inches of water, which means that the level was down 13 inches from the top. With a less amount of water practically no pressure would be available in case of fire and this condition has resulted in the issuance of another warning from Commissioner Vasconcellos in which he calls upon the people to exercise greater care than they have been even in these past days. The commissioner recognizes the consumers have been co-operating in an earnest endeavor to save water but under present circumstances even stricter economy is necessary.

The weather conditions are such that if a fire were to come the difficulties of combatting it would be many and all the water now in storage must be saved for emergency use. This means therefore that all the city water supply now is coming from the north side wells and that amount is only about half what is customarily used. These are the days when talk about economy as a matter of patriotic duty is an every day occurrence and certainly the statement is true in the present instance. If you love your country, save fuel. If you love your city and yourselves, save water.

MRS. BROWN TAKEN TO PASSAVANT HOSPITAL
Mrs. W. I. Brown who sustained a fractured arm in a fall was taken to Passavant hospital yesterday.

RIDGELY ENCAMPMENT IN PATRIOTIC MEETING

Exercises Friday Night Were of Interesting Character — Speakers Talked of Patriotism and Loyalty to Country—War Savings Certificate Purchased — Refreshments Served.

Patriotism prevailed at the meeting of Ridgely encampment Friday evening. The encampment at the last regular meeting arranged for a patriotic meeting for last night and it was all that could be asked. The words of all the speakers bespoke patriotism and loyalty of the highest order.

The meeting was presided over by T. M. Tomlinson, who made a most acceptable chairman. Mr. Tomlinson called upon J. Marshall Miller as the first speaker. Mr. Miller gave a talk along general patriotic lines and his effort was a most able one.

L. W. Cox was the next speaker called upon by the chairman. Mr. Cox, the new to Jacksonville audiences has demonstrated his ability as a speaker on various occasions, and his remarks last night were well received. Mr. Cox talked of love of country and handled the subject in an able manner.

Following the address of Mr. Cox the audience joined in the singing of America.

The chair then called upon Carl H. Weber who gave a brief talk in connection with Thrift stamps and war savings certificates. The speaker also dwelt upon the use of money in the present war.

Rev. Walter E. Spoonst spoke on the "Church as an Agent for the Fostering of Patriotism." The speaker knew his subject and presented in an eloquent and convincing manner. Following Mr. Spoonst the officers of the encampment carried out a pretty and impressive ceremony, each affixing a stamp to the war certificate purchased by the order.

Following the program refreshments were served and a general good time enjoyed. The refreshments consisted of hot chile which was made by Rev. W. E. Spoonst. The gentleman learned the art of concocting this delicious dish while a resident of Texas and it certainly was fine.

A fortunate purchase enables us to place on sale, at bargain prices, Taupe, Natural and Brown Coney Sets. FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

WAR BREAD GROWING IN POPULARITY.

Reports that bakers are experiencing difficulty in securing cereal flours for admixture with wheat are followed by an estimate from the Department of Agriculture that the production of rye in 1917 exceeded by 11,283,000 bushels the amount raised in 1916. This is based on the final approximation of the Bureau of Crop Estimates, which places the 1917 production at 60,145,000 bushels. This is an increase of 18,745,000 over the average crop from 1911 to 1915.

In spite of slight difficulty in securing wheat substitutes—a difficulty which the Food Administration is rapidly helping to overcome—the bakers are already reporting big wheat savings as a result of the regulations which went into effect on December 10, prescribing definitely the amounts of various ingredients which would be allowed by the United States Food Administration. Millers of corn, rice, rye and other cereals were not prepared for the heavy demands which followed enforcement of the new regulations. Their milling capacities have been, and are still being increased, however, and the tension is daily becoming lighter.

"War bread," instead of being regarded as an inevitable hardship, is growing in popularity. A baker in Portland, Me., reported that his sales of bread in which other cereals were mixed with wheat amounted to only 1,200 loaves the first week. The next week his sales jumped to 8,000 loaves; the next, to 14,000, and the fourth week to more than 17,000. In two days, he reported savings of more than two tons of wheat; 150 pounds of sugar, and 150 pounds of lard. He began the admixture before it was made compulsory by the Food Administration. This is not an isolated instance. Similar reports have been received by the National Association of Bakers from Memphis, Tenn.; Duluth, Minn.; Dayton, O.; Battle Creek, Mich., and other cities throughout the country.

STANDARD BRANDS OF TOILET ARTICLES AT SALE PRICES — 50c JAVA RICE POWDER 39c; 50c PEBECO TOOTH PASTE 39c; 50c LISTERINE 39c; 50c HINDS HONEY AND ALMOND CREAM 39c; 75c POMPEIAN CREAM 59c; 25c WOODBURY'S OR CUTICURA SOAP 20c; 25c MENTHOLATUM 20c; VIOLET GLYCERINE SOAP 19c BOX OF 3 CAKES; WILLIAM'S SHAVING STICKS 20c.

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A PAINFUL ACCIDENT.
Yesterday morning as Mrs. W. I. Brown, matron at the open air school, was passing up North Church street she had the misfortune to fall in front of the residence of Charles Minter and break both bones in her right arm below the elbow. Mrs. Minter helped her in and summoned medical aid and the bones were set and the lady put to bed to recover from the shock. At last accounts she was doing as well as could be expected but she will be detained from her work for a long time.

Save money by buying SLEEPING GARMENTS of FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store today.

LOCAL COAL STATUS BUT LITTLE CHANGED

Report for the Week Shows Decrease of But a Few Cars — Hope for Warmer Weather.

Friday morning the local coal dealers met with the local fuel committee at the Ayers National bank for the weekly conference. The roll was called and each dealer made response as to the amount of coal on hand or in transit. The record showed that there were about six cars less coal available for Jacksonville yesterday than was true a week ago. This is a comparatively insignificant amount and a variation which might readily occur by comparing any two weeks. Warmer weather is now confidently expected and with this change the demand will also be less. The committee and dealers therefore feel confident that there will be no acute shortage in this city. The rule still obtains of furnishing coal only where consumers really need a supply and then in sending only a small amount.

Chairman Dunlap read a statement from the state fuel administrator declaring that no order had been given by the state administrator with reference to curtailing shipments to Jacksonville. A week or two since local dealers were informed by one of the operators that the state administrator had indicated that more coal was being sent to Jacksonville than the demand warranted.

In several instances in the past few days dealers have taken car numbers to Mr. Dunlap with information as to where the cars were located if on a switch or side track, and telegrams sent to the railroad management by Mr. Dunlap have brought quick movement of the coal. It was Mr. Dunlap's statement that the committee will act promptly for any dealer who furnishes data of this kind and who desires committee assistance in endeavoring to bring about quicker railroad movement of coal.

THE PUBLIC MUST AGAIN SAVE WATER

The water situation again is critical, and will be until there is a genuine thaw. Consumers must again use from wells and cisterns for closet flushings, bathing, etc., and otherwise practice water conservation. Offenders will be cut off. There now is but about five feet of water in the reservoir and that must be held for possible fires. I regret the action necessary, but we face cold facts.

JOSHUA VASCONCELLOS, Commissioner

CHICAGO THEATERS WILL OBEY ORDER

All of the larger loop and outlying theaters will be dark on next Monday and the succeeding ones. The managers of the downtown playhouses have decided to close their doors rather than try to run a show with the houses cold, and are awaiting orders from the mayor in New York in regard to slicing their employees' salaries. The size of the actor's envelope will depend altogether upon the manager of the company.

At the Powers theater, David Warfield in "The Music Master" will give Sunday night performances which is contrary to his custom, instead of the Monday presentation. This plan is to be followed by Mrs. Fiske in her play, "Madame Sand," at the Blackstone. A third company to assure no diminution of receipts in this manner is the Ziegfeld "Follies." It will offer an additional matinee on Thursday or Friday. The openings at the Powers and Blackstone theaters will be held on next Tuesday night instead of Monday. Harry Hildings, president of the Chicago Theater Managers' association, yesterday declared that the theaters will be closed only on Mondays, and that none of the managers will be forced to shut down their houses permanently, as some at first believed.

"Of course, we intend to do all we can to assist the government," he said, "and will gladly close at any time we are asked to do so. Fortunately, the government has selected our worst night in regard to attendance, coming, as it does, after two good show days."—Chicago Tribune.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.
Joseph H. Smith et al to Dora Smith, north half lots 42 and 43 old plat Murrayville, \$1.
John W. Smith to Dora Smith, quit claim deed to same tract, \$1.
Manuel Ferreira by heirs to Henry I. Ferreira, et al, quit claim, part lot 6 Carter's addition to Jacksonville, \$1.
Manuel Ferreira by heirs, to Joseph M. Smith, south half west half southeast quarter 6-15-10, \$1.

INVESTIGATE THE REMARKABLE BARGAINS AT HERMAN'S JANUARY CLOSING OUT SALE.

FARM LAND TRANSFER.
In settling the estate of the late Manuel Ferreira the heirs yesterday transferred to Joseph M. Smith, one of the number, a 40 acre tract located about two miles northwest of Jacksonville. This land adjoins that of the purchaser. The price was not made public.

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FUNERAL NOTICE.
Funeral services for Augustus Shelburn will be held from Gillham's undertaking parlors at 10 o'clock this morning in charge of the Rev. A. A. Todd, pastor of First Baptist church, instead of at the residence as previously announced.
Funeral services for Porter Ogden will be held from Bethel A. M. E. church this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in charge of the Rev. J. H. Fisher.

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MYERS BROTHERS.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM WINCHESTER

Brief Paragraphs of the Doings of Winchester and Vicinity.

Winchester, Jan. 18—Robert Coultas returned Friday to his home in Jacksonville after a short visit at the home of his brother, Thomas P. Coultas and daughter.

P. R. Waters was in Aremville Friday on business.

S. O. Robertson has been away from the telephone exchange this week on account of illness.

Mrs. George Woodall is confined to her home by illness.

Mrs. Henry Canatsey left Friday noon for Vicksburg and Asbury, Kan., to visit relatives. She was joined at Merritt by Mrs. Steve Harvey, who will make the trip with her.

Miss Neil Smith is ill with tonsillitis.

J. E. Coultas left Friday for Bluffs and Jacksonville on a business trip.

The basketball team representing Winchester high school defeated Routt college at Jacksonville Friday evening with a score of 28 to 26.

Phil Henderson, who has been here for several days on a brief furlough, left Friday for Little Rock, where he will visit Elmo Coultas at Camp Pike. From there he will continue to Camp Logan, Houston, Tex., where he is stationed.

Dr. John Stewart of Exeter was reported a little better Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Nobe Conlee of Pittsfield were visitors in Jacksonville Friday.

CHURCHES WILL HOLD SERVICES

Members of the Ministerial association held a session Friday to discuss the local fuel situation. It was decided after some discussion to have the regular Sunday school and morning services in all the churches tomorrow. So far as possible the use of auditoriums will be avoided and services held in smaller rooms. The ministers did not believe it likely that the situation would necessitate the distribution of the coal now in church basements and it is therefore deemed proper to proceed with the use of this coal.

LADIES—SEE THE BARGAINS

All winter hats from \$1 to \$3 each, regardless of cost, at the Miller Hat Shop. Call and see the lovely goods.

Mrs. F. C. Pearce of Waverly was a shopper in the city Friday.

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